

Training Program Performance 2001

*Employment and Earnings of
Training Program Participants
Exiting Alaska Training Programs
in FY 2001*

*With a Comparison of Performance with
FY 1998, FY 1999 and FY 2000 Program Data*

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Overview of Performance Measures

AS 23.15.580 requires that the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development evaluate state employment related training programs to determine the employment status, earnings, and customer satisfaction of program participants after completion of the program. Specific required performance measures to be calculated include:

The percentage of former participants who have jobs one year after leaving the training program. The percentage of employed training program participants is determined by matching training program records with Alaska unemployment insurance wage records for the months seven to 12 following exit from the training program. Employment during the full year following exit from the program is also reported for each program.

The median wage of former participants seven to 12 months after leaving the program. The median total earnings of training program participants during months seven to 12 (third and fourth quarter) following exit from the training program is determined from Alaska unemployment insurance wage records. Total earnings from all employers is calculated, then all workers with some reported wages are arrayed from lowest to highest reported earnings. Half of the exiting participants with earnings fall above the median earnings level, half fall below.

The percentage of former participants who were employed after leaving the training program who received training under the program that was directly related, or somewhat related to their jobs, seven to 12 months after leaving the training program. When the specific course or type of occupational training received is known, that information is compared with occupation data provided by employers on their Alaska unemployment insurance wage records to determine if the occupation is related to the course of study. When training program participants work in more than one occupation, the occupation in which they earned the most money in the post-training period is compared with the training program.

The customer satisfaction of exiting training program participants. The Alaska Workforce Investment Office (AWIO) initiated a customer satisfaction survey in FY 2001 for WIA and STEP program participants. In addition, Research and Analysis conducted a customer satisfaction survey of University of Alaska vocational education and AVTEC students exiting in FY 2001.

Methodology

Each training program provided participant social security numbers, training start dates, and training completion or exit dates. Some programs provided information on the types of training in which the participants were enrolled, as well as demographic information about the participants.

Participant records were matched with historical Alaska unemployment insurance (U.I.) wage records. Alaska U.I. wage records provide the most comprehensive, quarter by quarter source of historical employment, earnings, occupation and place of work information for each training program participant. Employment and earnings outcome data are based upon Alaska U.I. wage record data unless otherwise noted. Data were also collected on the current occupation of the training program participant. Participants currently working in an occupation directly related to their training are identified.

To provide additional information on current work status, continuing education and residency, program participant records were also matched with:

- Federal military and civilian payroll records for all locations
- U.S. Postal Service employment records
- Alaska business license files
- Alaska occupational license files
- Alaska U.I. wage records
- Washington state U.I. wage records
- National Student Clearinghouse records providing information on continuing postsecondary education
- Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend files

Training Programs and Funding Sources Included in this Report

ADULT TRAINING	ALASKA TECHNICAL CENTER	Alaska Technical Center in Kotzebue is designed to meet the vocational and technical training needs of rural Alaskans in four core areas: office occupations, building industrial technology, industrial mine maintenance, and health occupations. Also provides Adult Basic Education, GED programs and a wide variety of short-term training.
	ALASKA VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL CENTER	Technical and related training in Seward to students from throughout Alaska. Provides market driven education in response to the needs of Alaska's business and industry, in career areas such as allied health, business & office technology, applied technology, food service technology, learning resources, physical plant technology and marine & fisheries.
	UA VOCATIONAL EDUCATION	Adult vocational training at University of Alaska campuses throughout Alaska.
	WIA TITLE IB DISLOCATED WORKER PROGRAM	Provides employment and training assistance for dislocated workers. Services available include career counseling, testing, job placement, occupational training, relocation assistance and other services.
	STATE TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM-STEP	Funded by a percentage of employee contributions to the Alaska unemployment insurance trust fund, provides training and/or reemployment assistance to unemployed or under-employed workers who have contributed to the fund. By reducing the length of time that workers are unemployed, the program is designed to reduce the amount of unemployment insurance benefits that are paid.
	TAA and NAFTA-TAA	Federal entitlement program which offers help to workers who lose their jobs or whose hours of work and wages are reduced as a result of increased imports from any country.
ADULTS W/ BARRIERS	WIA TITLE IB ADULT PROGRAM	Adult Program supports training and services for adults who face multiple barriers to employment. Program services include an assessment of needs and abilities and services such as classroom training, on-the-job training, job-search assistance, work experience, counseling, basic skills training and support services.
	WORK SEARCH	Four-week program intended to help Temporary Assistance (ATAP) clients in their efforts to obtain and keep a job. Work Search attempts to move clients into the workforce as quickly as possible. All Temporary Assistance clients who are not exempt from participating in work activities are required to attend Work Search.
YOUTH	WIA TITLE IB YOUTH PROGRAM	Year-round youth program provides training and employment programs for both in-School and out-of-school youth. Services may include limited internships in the private sector, school-to-work transition services and alternative high school services. The targeted population is low-income youth age 16 to 21. Summer youth employment program designed to improve basic education skills, encourage school completion, provide exposure to work, and enhance citizenship skills. The targeted population is low-income youth age 14 to 21.
OTHER PROGRAMS	Carl Perkins Vocational Programs	The Carl Perkins Vocational and Technical Education Act of 1998 was implemented to assist in the development of the academic, vocational and technical skills of secondary and postsecondary students that choose to enroll in vocational and technical education programs.
	Training and Vocational Education Program	In FY 2001, a percentage of employee contributions to the Alaska unemployment insurance trust fund were directed to the University of Alaska, Alaska Vocational Technical Center, and Alaska Technical Center. Employment and earnings statistics are not provided for TVEP, since there is no training program participant information available for FY 2001.
	Adult Basic Education	Adult Basic Education provides adult learners instruction in the basic skills of reading, writing, mathematics, English as a Second Language (ESL), and GED (General Educational Development) preparations and testing. The ABE program funds 13 regional ABE programs and four Volunteer Literacy programs.

FY 2001 Performance Measures Summary

Because each program is unique and serves a different clientele with different needs and work histories, caution should be used when comparing the earnings and employment measures across programs. Some programs are not designed to lead to an employment outcome. Some programs are directed to the unemployed, which can often result in dramatic pre-training and post-training performance gains. Other programs, such as STEP, are targeted to workers that recently lost their jobs, which can result in less favorable pre-training and post-training comparisons.

Some programs provide services to younger workers, older workers, those with no skills or those recently laid off from skilled jobs or relatively highly paid positions. Many programs serve clients that are likely to leave the state, continue their education, or become self-employed upon completion of their training. Those workers would likely not be included in Alaska post-training earnings and employment statistics.

Performance Standards

The Alaska Workforce Investment Board (AWIB) has established several performance standards for three broad categories of training programs serving different populations: Adults, Adults with Barriers, and Youth (See table, page 3). In FY 2001, Alaska training programs met the performance standards established by the AWIB for employment and earnings, and most programs showed improvement over FY 2000 at the detailed program level.

Alaska Training Program Performance Standards and Outcomes for Adult and Youth Program Participants in FY 2001						
Criteria	Adult Programs		Adults with Barriers		Youth Programs	
	Standard	Actual	Standard	Actual	Standard	Actual
Employment Months 7-12 After Exit	65%	69.7%	60%	65.2%	50%	56.8%
Median Earnings Months 7-12 After Exit	\$4,500	\$12,049	\$3,500	\$5,619	\$2,000	\$2,304
Training Related to Post- Training Occupation	50%	59%	50%	NA	50%	NA

NA=Not Available

Note: Employment is based upon Alaska reported employment in months 7 to 12 following exit from the program.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

Employment Trends

Alaska training programs significantly exceeded employment standards established by the AWIB for FY 2001 exiting participants. For the months seven through 12 following exit from the program, adult programs had an employment rate of 65.0 percent based upon Alaska unemployment insurance wage records, while Adults with Barriers programs exceeded the standard by 5.2 percentage points and Youth programs exceeded the standard by 6.8 percentage points. More than 78 percent of program participants were employed at some time during the twelve months following exit from the program.

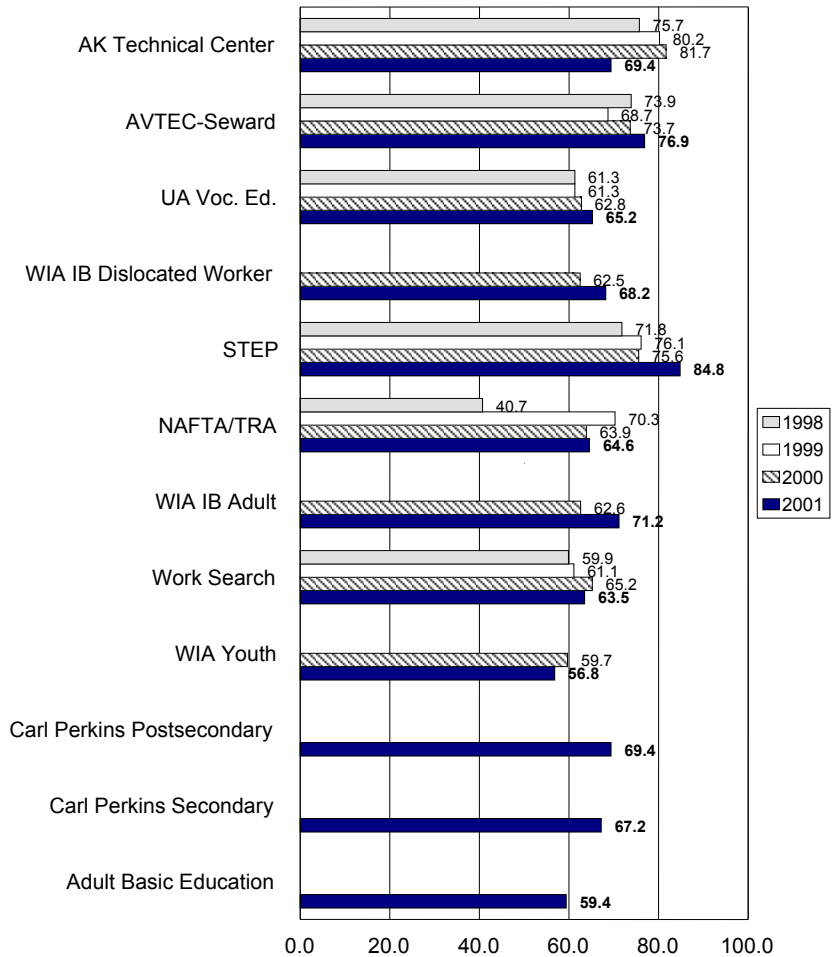
Although the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) programs replaced the JTPA programs in FY 2001, FY 2000 was the transition year between WIA and JTPA. On October 1, 1999 the rules and policies affecting WIA data collection were enacted and applied to all JTPA participants. As of April 1, 2000 the new year-round WIA Youth programs started. Youth were transitioned from JTPA to WIA prior to FY 2001. The data shown in the historical performance charts reflect the change in service delivery strategies when individuals enrolled under the Job Training Programs were transitioned to the WIA programs. Although the program participants are similar, historical comparison of WIA with JTPA program performance measures is not provided.

Direct year to year comparison of the broad programs and training institutions is problematic due to the changing mix of populations served and training programs offered. However, since data were first collected for FY 1997 training program participants, the overall trend for most programs has been towards higher employment rates.

The overall job retention rate, as measured by the percent of those employed in the first quarter following exit that continue to work in Alaska in the third quarter after exit, was 75.3 percent for FY 2001 participants.

Alaska training program participants worked throughout Alaska in their year following exit for virtually every industry sector. Nearly 77 percent of those employed in the first quarter after exit worked for the private sector. Top employers of training program participants were the State of Alaska, University of Alaska, Wal-Mart, Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corp., Crowley Marine Services, Rural Alaska Community Action Program, Providence Hospital, North Slope Borough School District, Anchorage School District, Manilaq Association, and Fred Meyer Shopping Centers.

Percent of FY 98-01 Exiting Program Participants Employed in Months 7 to 12 Following Exit



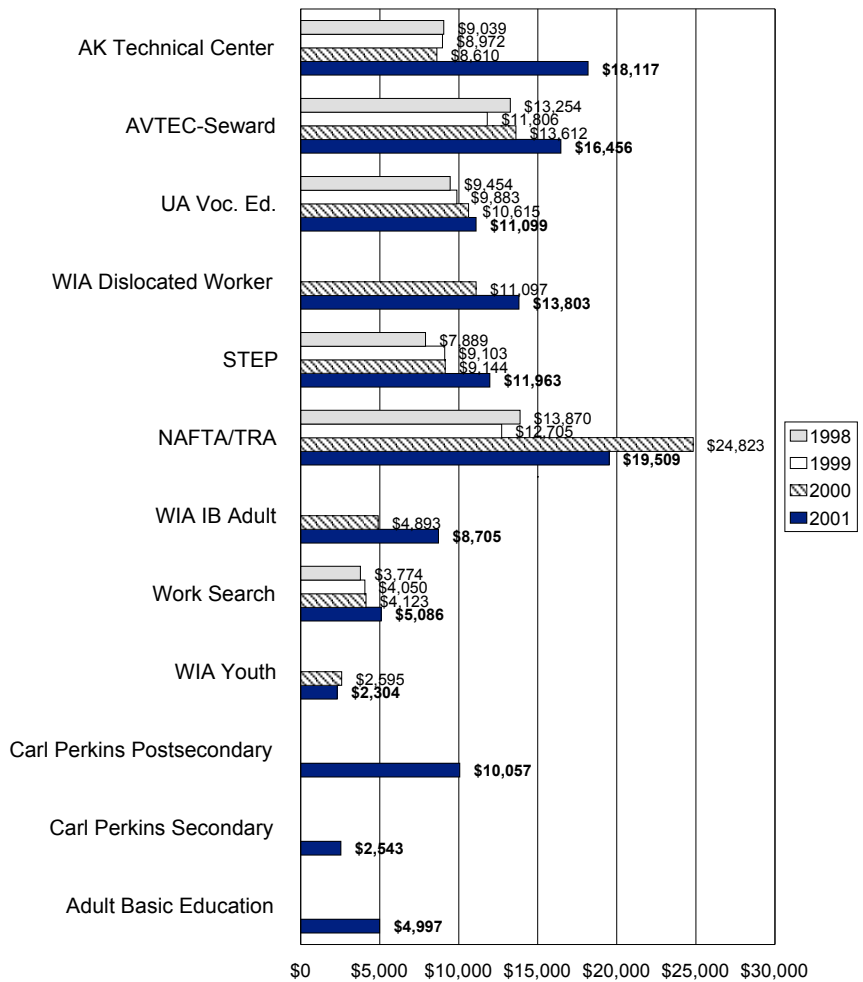
Source: Alaska Dept. of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Earnings Trends

Total earnings are calculated for each participant during months seven to 12 following exit from the program. The median participant earnings for this two-quarter period were calculated for all participants with reported earnings. These are shown in the graph at right.

Total earnings of FY 2001 training program participants were \$200 million in the full twelve months following exit from the program, an increase of 24.8 percent compared with the twelve months prior to entering the programs.

Median Total Earnings of FY 98-01 Exiting Program Participants Employed in Months 7 to 12 Following Exit



Source: Alaska Dept. of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Training Program Participants Served by Multiple Programs or Continuing Their Education

Program participant records were matched with all other training provider records for FY 2000 and FY 2001 to identify the number of individuals that exited from other training programs during these two years. A significant number of participants were identified that had obtained and completed services from multiple programs during FY 2000 and/or FY 2001. For example, 75 exiting STEP participants exited a training program at AVTEC, and another 92 STEP participants completed a University of Alaska vocational program.

Note that individuals that exited another program in a prior or subsequent year would not be identified in this table.

Number of Training Program Participants That Exited a Program in FY 2001 that Exited One or More Other Programs in FY 2000 or FY 2001												
		Adults						Adults w/ Barriers		Youth	Other	
		AK Tech-Kotzebue	AVTEC	UA Voc Ed	WIA 1B Dislocated Worker	STEP	TAA and NAFTA-TAA	WIA 1B Adult	Work Search	WIA 1B Youth	Carl Perkins Secondary Students	Adult Basic Education
Adults	AK Tech-Kotzebue	173	0	24	0	5	0	19	1	0	0	1
	AVTEC	1	1,061	23	5	69	0	26	1	3	3	46
	UA Voc Ed	22	25	5,537	39	115	19	62	22	13	62	14
	WIA 1B Dislocated Worker	0	11	41	201	16	24	8	0	0	0	1
	STEP	5	75	92	18	1,209	0	29	9	2	1	17
	TAA and NAFTA-TAA	0	2	24	47	10	144	0	0	0	0	0
Adults w/ Barriers	WIA 1B Adult	19	29	57	8	29	0	243	11	4	0	9
	Work Search	0	5	16	1	14	0	15	850	7	1	180
Youth	WIA 1B Youth	0	3	9	0	0	0	4	3	294	16	1
Other	Carl Perkins Secondary Students	0	4	91	0	1	0	0	1	22	3,090	5
	Adult Basic Education	1	50	24	1	24	0	15	205	8	5	1,267

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Note: Carl Perkins postsecondary data included in other secondary programs.

Training Relevance

Training relevance is measured by a comparison of the type of training provided with the occupation in which the worker was employed following exit from the training program. This information is collected in two ways: directly from the training provider or program based upon reported placement information, or indirectly based upon occupation information provided by employers on Alaska quarterly unemployment insurance wage records. Currently, only adult program participant training relevance information is available, and for that population, 61.8 percent of those participants working were employed in an occupation related to their training program.

Training Program Customer Satisfaction

The Workforce Investment Office initiated customer satisfaction surveys of STEP and WIA clients exiting the programs in FY 2001. Students were asked to rate, on a scale of 1 to 10, their overall satisfaction with the vocational training services they had received. The majority of former STEP participants indicated they were satisfied with the training they received, with 93.7% selecting a rating of 5 or better on this

satisfaction measure. The same percentage indicated that their expectations were met. A similar percentage of sampled students, 92.1%, reported that services had conformed well to their interpretation of ideal services. Of these surveyed students, 81.4% were pleased with the quality of training they received.

Almost all of the sample of former WIA participants indicated that they were satisfied with the training they received, with 94 percent selecting a rating of 5 or better on the scale. The same percentage indicated that their expectations were met. A similar percentage of sampled students, 92.8% reported that services had conformed well to their interpretation of ideal services. Of the students surveyed, 96.8% felt positively about the quality of the training they received.

In a separate survey period, Research and Analysis surveyed a random sample of 300 University of Alaska (UA) students exiting in FY 2001 to determine customer satisfaction levels. Of the surveys sent, 104 were returned completed, a response rate of 35 percent. This sample of UA students reported high degrees of satisfaction with the quality of their respective training programs. On a scale of 1 to 10, students were asked to rate their overall satisfaction with the quality of UA programs. Almost 85 percent of students rated their programs a 5 or above. Students' responses indicate a high degree of satisfaction, with a mean score of 7 and a median score of 8 on this satisfaction measure. The survey also asked students to rate how well the programs met their expectations. The mean and median scores for this measure were 7, suggesting that UA programs are fulfilling students' expectations. The majority, 82.5% of students, rated their programs a 5 or better. Students reported slightly lower satisfaction with how their programs compared to the ideal, resulting in a mean score of 6 and a median score of 7. Still, the majority of students, approximately 80 percent, gave their programs a score of 5 or better for this satisfaction measure.

Students were asked whether they were currently employed, and whether their job was in a field related to the training they received at the University of Alaska. Ninety students reported that they were employed, or 86.5 percent of students who responded to the survey. Forty percent of employed students stated that the training they received from the University of Alaska helped them get the jobs they wanted.

Customer Satisfaction Measures Reported by Former University of Alaska Students					
Mean			Median		
Overall Satisfaction	Meeting Expectations	Compares to Ideal	Overall Satisfaction	Meeting Expectations	Compares to Ideal
7	7	6	8	7	7

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Surveys were sent to a random sample of 100 Alaska Vocational Technical Center (AVTEC) students exiting in FY 2001 to determine customer satisfaction levels. Of the surveys sent, 36 were returned completed, for a response rate of 36 percent. These former AVTEC students reported high degrees of satisfaction with the quality of their training programs. On a scale of 1 to 10, students reported mean score of 8 and a median score of 9 for overall satisfaction, indicating a high degree of satisfaction with the quality of AVTEC programs. Over 94 percent of students gave their respective programs a score of 5 or better on this measure. Students also reported high degrees of satisfaction with how AVTEC programs met their expectations, resulting in a mean score of 7 and a median score of 8 for this satisfaction measure. Over 86 percent of students gave their programs a rating of 5 or better. Students reported high levels of satisfaction with how their programs compared to the ideal, resulting in mean and median scores of 8. Over 86 percent of students gave their programs a rating of 5 or better on this satisfaction measure.

Former AVTEC students were asked whether they were currently employed, and whether their jobs were related to the training they received. Twenty-three students reported that they were employed, or 63.9 percent of students who responded to the survey. Almost 74 percent of employed students stated that the training they received from AVTEC helped them get the jobs they wanted.

Customer Satisfaction Measures Reported by Former AVTEC Students					
Mean			Median		
Overall Satisfaction	Meeting Expectations	Compares to Ideal	Overall Satisfaction	Meeting Expectations	Compares to Ideal
8	7	8	9	8	8

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

AWIB Priorities

Each year the AWIB adopts a priority list of occupations based on economic, employment, and other relevant data in order to maximize employment opportunities for participants in the Alaska technical and vocational education program. The highest priority needs for FY 2002 were determined to be in construction, health care, information technology and transportation. Equal priority is to be given to training relevant to these four industries for the distribution of vocational and technical education grants.

The construction industry has an existing high demand for workers statewide. The top occupations within this industry are: carpenters, electricians, plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters, hazardous materials removal workers, painters and paperhangers, operating engineers, electrical powerline installers and repairers, welders and cutters, excavating and loading machine operators, carpenters' helpers, roofers, laborers, landscaping and groundskeeping, grader, dozer and scraper operators, and concrete and terrazzo finishers.

The health care industry is the fastest growing industry in the state, largely due to increase in size and aging of the population. Large portions of the current health care workforce remain non-resident workers, because an insufficient number can be recruited in the state. The top occupations within the industry are: registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, certified nurse aids, nursing aids, orderlies and attendants, pharmacy technicians, radiological technicians, coders, billers, and insurance clerks, bill and account collectors, billing, cost and rate clerks, medical record technicians, dental assistants, human services workers, substance abuse counselors, and social workers.

The Information Technology industry, as in much of the U.S., is seen as a very viable growth industry. The top occupations within this industry are: database developers and administrators, network designers and administrators, web developers and administrators, and web application developers.

The transportation industry is vital to the state's economic well-being and is seen as another industry with good growth potential for worldwide shipping, given Alaska's geographic location. Top occupations within the industry are: aircraft mechanics, heavy or tractor trailer drivers, automotive mechanics, light truck drivers, transportation agents, bus and truck diesel engine specialists, mobile heavy equipment mechanics, automotive body repairs, travel agents, industrial truck and tractor operators, shipping and receiving clerks, dispatchers, and airplane pilots.

FY 2001 Data Summary

FY 2001 Program Performance Measures												
Alaska Employment and Earnings for Months 7 to 12 Before and After Training												
FY 01 Programs	Number Exiting	Number Employed			Total Earnings		Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings Per Quarter		Total Median Earnings Months 7 to 12	
		Before	After	Pct Emp After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Adult Training												
AK Tech-Kotzebue	173	140	120	69.4	\$1,921,069	\$2,019,545	256	229	\$7,504	\$8,819	\$14,560	\$18,117
AVTEC	1,061	801	816	76.9	\$11,636,136	\$13,508,085	1,455	1,506	\$7,997	\$8,970	\$13,108	\$16,456
UA Voc Ed	5,537	3,485	3,609	65.2	\$37,312,288	\$45,517,702	6,299	6,522	\$5,924	\$6,979	\$8,655	\$11,099
WIA 1B Dislocated Workers	201	162	137	68.2	\$2,144,014	\$2,063,913	299	252	\$7,171	\$8,190	\$9,293	\$13,803
STEP	1,209	1,037	1,025	84.8	\$13,079,175	\$14,382,234	1,846	1,836	\$7,085	\$7,833	\$10,278	\$11,963
TAA and NAFTA-TAA	144	138	93	64.6	\$3,305,819	\$2,024,859	264	166	\$12,522	\$12,198	\$23,569	\$19,509
Adults w/ Barriers Programs												
WIA Title 1B Adult	243	146	173	71.2	\$733,912	\$1,651,276	246	314	\$2,983	\$5,259	\$3,650	\$8,705
Work Search	850	410	540	63.5	\$1,713,330	\$3,112,136	665	925	\$2,576	\$3,364	\$2,969	\$5,086
Youth Programs												
WIA Title 1B Youth	294	109	167	56.8	\$154,780	\$594,980	162	269	\$955	\$2,212	\$1,129	\$2,304
Other Programs												
Carl Perkins-Postsecondary	4,389	2,957	3,046	69.4	\$25,615,849	\$33,626,968	5,262	5,468	\$4,868	\$6,150	\$6,829	\$10,057
Carl Perkins-Secondary	3,090	1,238	2,075	67.2	\$2,402,633	\$7,195,011	1,801	3,391	\$1,334	\$2,122	\$1,460	\$2,543
Adult Basic Education	1,267	612	752	59.4	\$3,354,822	\$5,092,206	1,021	1,300	\$3,286	\$3,917	\$3,677	\$4,997

Notes: Includes an unduplicated count of individuals with reported SSN exiting a program. One individual may participate in more than one program. Includes Alaska reported employment and wage information only.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

FY 2001 Program Performance Measures												
Alaska Employment and Earnings for Months 1 to 12 Before and After Training												
FY 01 Programs	Number Exiting	Number Employed			Total Earnings		Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings Per Quarter		Total Median Earnings Months 1 to 12	
		Before	After	Pct Emp After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Adult Training												
AK Tech-Kotzebue	173	154	148	85.5	\$4,016,723	\$4,094,041	536	478	\$7,494	\$8,565	\$24,780	\$26,448
AVTEC	1,061	875	884	83.3	\$24,305,073	\$27,175,838	2,969	3,068	\$8,186	\$8,858	\$24,513	\$29,417
UA Voc Ed	5,537	4,075	4,129	74.6	\$78,102,862	\$92,229,542	13,192	13,599	\$5,920	\$6,782	\$14,041	\$18,686
WIA 1B Dislocated Workers	201	174	150	74.6	\$4,327,717	\$4,144,151	568	516	\$7,619	\$8,031	\$16,567	\$25,166
STEP	1,209	1,115	1,124	93.0	\$27,957,300	\$33,142,917	3,714	3,878	\$7,528	\$8,546	\$20,837	\$25,707
TAA and NAFTA-TAA	144	141	100	69.4	\$6,424,273	\$4,185,761	501	348	\$12,823	\$12,028	\$40,401	\$38,798
Adults w/ Barriers Programs												
WIA Title 1B Adult	243	175	194	79.8	\$1,271,339	\$3,294,454	470	630	\$2,705	\$5,229	\$5,312	\$13,902
Work Search	850	536	683	80.4	\$3,381,297	\$6,385,106	1,386	1,982	\$2,440	\$3,222	\$4,531	\$7,179
Youth Programs												
WIA Title 1B Youth	294	146	212	72.1	\$290,986	\$1,079,426	320	537	\$909	\$2,010	\$1,723	\$3,139
Other Programs												
Carl Perkins-Postsecondary	4,389	3,347	3,468	79.0	\$51,498,246	\$68,989,035	10,588	11,368	\$4,864	\$6,069	\$10,737	\$17,367
Carl Perkins-Secondary	3,090	1,745	2,477	80.2	\$4,627,548	\$15,066,110	3,886	6,898	\$1,191	\$2,184	\$1,656	\$4,320
Adult Basic Education	1,267	731	927	73.2	\$6,472,143	\$10,599,758	2,016	2,748	\$3,210	\$3,857	\$4,811	\$7,923

Notes: Includes an unduplicated count of individuals with reported SSN exiting a program. One individual may participate in more than one program. Includes Alaska reported employment and wage information only.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Adult Training Programs

Alaska Technical Center-Kotzebue

The Alaska Technical Center is an adult vocational school designed to meet the vocational and technical training needs of rural Alaskans. The Alaska Technical Center currently has four core program areas: office occupations, building industrial technology, industrial mine maintenance, and health occupations. In addition, the Alaska Technical Center provides Adult Basic Education, GED programs and a wide variety of short-term training during the year.

Based upon data provided by the Center, in FY 2001, a total of 173 individuals completed classes in 28 program areas. The program areas included training in dealing with hazardous waste materials, storage tanks, adult basic education and office skills.

Performance and Participant Data

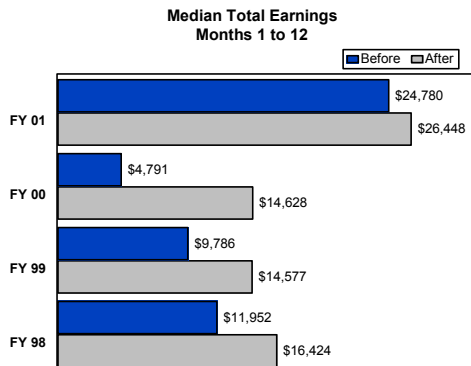
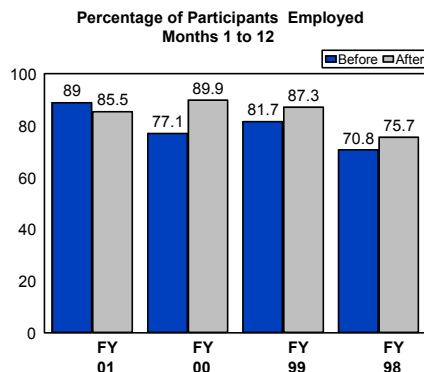
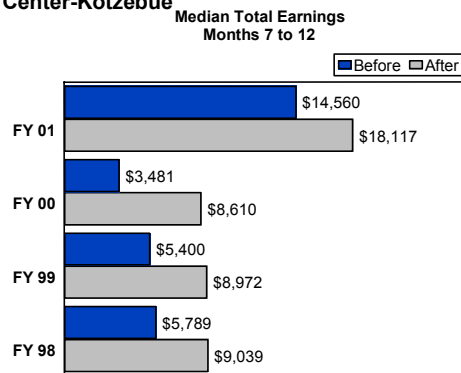
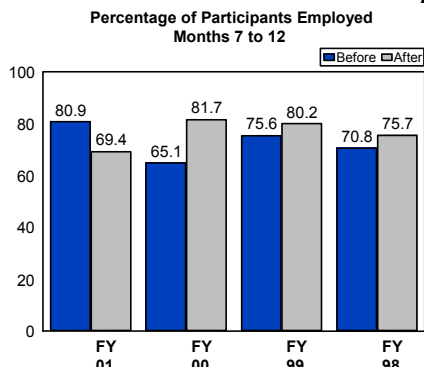
- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the Alaska Technical Center training program, 69.4 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. No additional participants were identified from federal employment records during this period.
- 74.8 percent of participants who were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$18,117.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by 1.9 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 14.3 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$4.09 million.
- Based upon analysis of post-training U.I. wage record reported occupations, 91.6 percent of those employed in the months seven through 12 after exit from a training program were working in an occupation related to their training.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were services, local government, finance, insurance and real estate, transportation and mining. Top occupations include receptionists and information clerks, executive secretaries and administrative assistants, construction laborers, and general maintenance and repair workers.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit in FY 2001:

Employer	Number Employed
Maniilaq Association Inc	32
Kotzebue IRA Council	8
Teck Cominco Alaska Inc.	8
Nana Regional Corporation	5

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development,
Research and Analysis Section.

Alaska Technical Center-Kotzebue Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 2001		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	173	173
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	69.4	85.5
Median Total Earnings	\$18,117	\$26,448
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	91.6	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	120	148
Washington State Employed	0	1
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	0	0
Civilian Federal Government Employed	0	1
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	120	148
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	68.8	85.5
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	229	478
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$2,019,545	\$4,094,041
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$1,921,069	\$4,016,723
Percent change in total earnings after training	5.1	1.9
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$8,819	\$8,565
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$7,504	\$7,494
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	10	10
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	6	6
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	163	163
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	20	27
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	28	28
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	3	3
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status on FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of employed workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
AK Technical Center-Kotzebue**



Kotzebue Technical Center Participants-FY 2001 Employment and Earnings Before and After Training Program Months 7 to 12													
FY 01 Training Programs	Number Exiting	Number Employed		Percent Employed		Total Wages		Total Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings/Qtr		Total Median Earnings	
		Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
30 hr. Computer Appl	24	22	15	91.7	62.5	\$299,900	\$201,177	41	29	\$7,315	\$6,937	\$10,545	\$12,932
Accounting Clerk	4	2	1	50.0	25.0	ND	ND	4	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Applied Mineral Expl. 101	8	5	3	62.5	37.5	\$29,832	\$29,205	8	5	\$3,729	\$5,841	\$1,962	\$5,717
Building Maintenance	10	6	8	60.0	80.0	\$58,901	\$65,137	11	15	\$5,355	\$4,342	\$3,879	\$3,038
C.N.A.	2	1	2	50.0	100.0	ND	ND	1	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Clerk Receptionist	4	1	4	25.0	100.0	ND	ND	1	5	ND	ND	ND	ND
Commercial Drivers Lic	7	7	5	100.0	71.4	\$66,317	\$54,613	14	9	\$4,737	\$6,068	\$9,057	\$11,802
Computer Applications	1	1	1	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	2	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Conflict Resol. & Confront.	16	13	12	81.3	75.0	\$234,696	\$223,921	25	23	\$9,388	\$9,736	\$18,211	\$20,001
Construction Trades	2	2	2	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	4	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Creating Optimism in Workplace	25	21	22	84.0	88.0	\$390,900	\$524,506	40	44	\$9,772	\$11,921	\$19,270	\$22,335
Elect/Heat Systems	1	1	1	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	2	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Electrical Systems	2	2	1	100.0	50.0	ND	ND	3	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Getting the Most from MS Office	9	8	5	88.9	55.6	\$146,732	\$81,266	16	9	\$9,171	\$9,030	\$20,658	\$20,485
Intro to Comp.	1	1	1	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	2	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Medical Terminology	4	1	3	25.0	75.0	ND	ND	1	6	ND	ND	ND	ND
Microsoft Office Suite	13	11	6	84.6	46.2	\$196,156	\$123,227	22	12	\$8,916	\$10,269	\$16,386	\$18,117
Mill Ops	9	7	8	77.8	88.9	\$14,524	\$203,321	8	16	\$1,816	\$12,708	\$1,273	\$26,866
Millwright	7	6	6	85.7	85.7	\$14,641	\$46,413	10	10	\$1,464	\$4,641	\$968	\$2,940
Oil Fired Burner Short Course	4	3	3	75.0	75.0	ND	ND	6	6	ND	ND	ND	ND
PCA/C.N.A.	4	3	4	75.0	100.0	ND	ND	5	8	ND	ND	ND	ND
Pleasing Hard to Please Cust.	2	2	2	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	4	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Plumbing Systems	3	3	3	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	6	6	ND	ND	ND	ND
Secretarial	3	2	2	66.7	66.7	ND	ND	4	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Standard First Aid/CPR	4	4	4	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	8	8	ND	ND	ND	ND
Troubleshoot, Tune-up & Upgrade PC's	15	13	4	86.7	26.7	\$253,954	\$90,269	25	8	\$10,158	\$11,284	\$16,072	\$17,347
Understanding Network Fund.	9	9	5	100.0	55.6	\$135,007	\$103,486	16	10	\$8,438	\$10,349	\$19,246	\$21,268
WS- Pleasing Customers	3	3	2	100.0	66.7	ND	ND	5	4	ND	ND	ND	ND

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Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Alaska Vocational Technical Center-Seward

Alaska Vocational Technical Center-Seward provides market driven education in response to the needs of Alaska's business and industry, in career areas such as allied health, business and office technology, applied technology, food service technology, learning resources, physical plant technology and marine and fisheries.

In FY 2001, a total of 1,061 individuals completed a wide variety of technical classes at AVTEC.

Performance and Participant Data

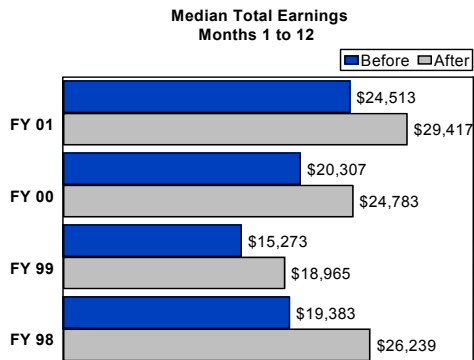
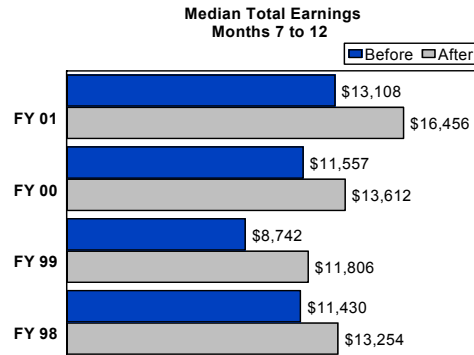
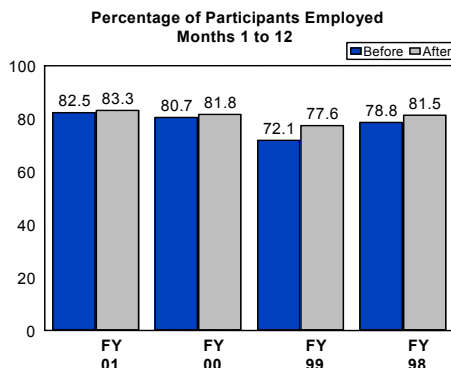
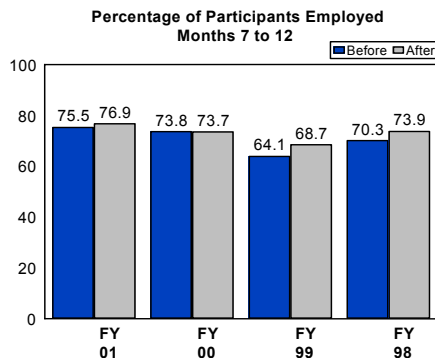
- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the Alaska Vocational Technical Center training program, 76.9 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. An additional 37 participants, or 3.5%, were identified from other state or federal employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- 86.3 percent of participants who were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$16,456.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by 11.8 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, and average earnings per quarter worked increased by 8.2 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$27.2 million, compared to \$24.3 million in the previous year.
- Based upon analysis of post-training U.I. wage record reported occupations, 84.2 percent of those employed in the months seven through 12 after exit from a training program were working in an occupation related to their training.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were services, state and local government, transportation, retail trade and construction. Top occupations include automotive service technicians and mechanics, captains, mates, and pilots of water vessels, sailors and marine oilers, general maintenance and repair workers, and construction laborers.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
State of Alaska Department of Administration	72
Crowley Marine Services Inc.	52
Kenai Peninsula Borough	24
State of Alaska Academic	22
Inlet Worldwide Inc.	18

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

Alaska Vocational Technical Center - Seward Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	1,061	1,061
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	76.9	83.3
Median Total Earnings	\$16,456	\$29,417
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	84.3	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	816	884
Washington State Employed	28	38
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	13	13
Civilian Federal Government Employed	12	12
U.S. Postal Service	3	3
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	853	917
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	80.4	86.4
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	1,506	3,068
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$13,508,085	\$27,175,838
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$11,636,136	\$24,305,073
Percent change in total earnings after training	16.1	11.8
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$8,970	\$8,858
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$7,997	\$8,186
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	42	42
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	88	88
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	942	942
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	137	182
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	144	144
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	14	14
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status on FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of employed workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
AK Vocational Technical Center-Seward**



AVTEC Participants-FY 2001 Employment and Earnings Before and After Training Program Months 7 to 12													
Training Program	Number Exiting	Number Employed		Percent Employed		Total Wages		Total Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings/Qtr		Total Median Earnings	
		Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Able Seaman	7	7	7	100.0	100.0	\$113,907	\$113,024	12	12	\$9,492	\$9,419	\$15,625	\$20,817
AMSEA Instructor Training	16	10	9	62.5	56.3	\$167,803	\$135,349	18	17	\$9,322	\$7,962	\$16,242	\$12,929
Applied Mathematics-Summer Academy	18	17	16	94.4	88.9	\$336,359	\$441,590	32	32	\$10,511	\$13,800	\$19,102	\$26,282
Automatic Radar Plotting Aid Operation	40	37	39	92.5	97.5	\$1,030,903	\$1,185,984	70	75	\$14,727	\$15,813	\$28,316	\$31,337
Automotive Technology	9	4	7	44.4	77.8	\$7,499	\$17,593	5	11	\$1,500	\$1,599	\$1,722	\$1,330
Auto-The High Tech World of Work	5	4	4	80.0	80.0	\$89,483	\$103,916	8	8	\$11,185	\$12,989	\$21,333	\$26,831
Basic Electricity Review	4	3	3	75.0	75.0	ND	ND	6	6	ND	ND	ND	ND
Basic Life Support	5	3	3	60.0	60.0	\$5,231	\$21,402	5	6	\$1,046	\$3,567	\$1,760	\$6,349
Basic Safety Training	62	55	57	88.7	91.9	\$1,332,152	\$1,544,993	105	113	\$12,687	\$13,673	\$25,053	\$26,468
Boiler License Training	6	6	5	100.0	83.3	\$68,805	\$60,499	10	8	\$6,881	\$7,562	\$12,463	\$10,480
Bridge Resource Management	45	39	38	86.7	84.4	\$1,029,700	\$1,134,006	76	75	\$13,549	\$15,120	\$25,167	\$30,654
Building Maintenance Repairer I, on site	61	48	48	78.7	78.7	\$285,215	\$333,577	80	87	\$3,565	\$3,834	\$3,272	\$5,205
Bulk Fuel	20	20	20	100.0	100.0	\$132,279	\$219,650	39	37	\$3,392	\$5,936	\$6,046	\$10,295
Business & Office Technology	34	25	27	73.5	79.4	\$157,769	\$238,806	41	48	\$3,848	\$4,975	\$5,078	\$6,992
Certified Nurse Assistant	16	12	11	75.0	68.8	\$78,194	\$79,511	21	19	\$3,724	\$4,185	\$4,764	\$6,598
Cisco Regional Networking Academy-SEM 1	14	14	14	100.0	100.0	\$276,109	\$328,718	28	25	\$9,861	\$13,149	\$20,510	\$23,108
Cisco Regional Networking Academy-SEM 2	12	12	12	100.0	100.0	\$237,342	\$280,513	24	22	\$9,889	\$12,751	\$20,510	\$23,108
Cisco Regional Networking Academy-SEM 3	5	5	5	100.0	100.0	\$97,773	\$124,152	10	9	\$9,777	\$13,795	\$22,293	\$25,270
Cisco Regional Networking Academy-SEM 4	5	5	5	100.0	100.0	\$97,773	\$124,152	10	9	\$9,777	\$13,795	\$22,293	\$25,270
Commercial Baking Technology	5	5	4	100.0	80.0	\$8,130	\$24,226	5	8	\$1,626	\$3,028	\$1,174	\$6,436
Commercial Drivers License, exam prep	53	46	45	86.8	84.9	\$373,146	\$475,247	79	81	\$4,723	\$5,867	\$7,629	\$8,048
Culinary Arts Program	3	1	0	33.3	0	ND	ND	2	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Diesel Engine Technology	12	8	10	66.7	83.3	\$19,354	\$79,399	11	16	\$1,759	\$4,962	\$812	\$7,336
Driveability Clinic-OBDD	143	114	112	79.7	78.3	\$2,343,294	\$2,359,796	220	214	\$10,651	\$11,027	\$18,873	\$20,476
Driveability Clinic-OBDD-Anc	31	26	27	83.9	87.1	\$534,517	\$565,122	51	53	\$10,481	\$10,663	\$20,118	\$20,857
Driveability Clinic-OBDD-Fbx	68	56	54	82.4	79.4	\$1,113,603	\$1,126,280	108	105	\$10,311	\$10,726	\$20,436	\$21,358
Electrical Controls & Automation Review	4	4	3	100.0	75.0	ND	ND	8	6	ND	ND	ND	ND
Emergency Medical Technician I	6	4	4	66.7	66.7	\$15,952	\$27,195	7	7	\$2,279	\$3,885	\$1,871	\$6,546
Emission System Inspection & Maintenance	18	11	11	61.1	61.1	\$138,737	\$200,558	22	22	\$6,306	\$9,116	\$10,690	\$18,720
English	1	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
English As A Second Language	6	0	2	0	33.3	\$0	\$30,543	0	3	\$0	\$10,181	\$0	\$15,271
Facility Maintenance Technology	17	9	14	52.9	82.4	\$43,238	\$86,908	15	26	\$2,883	\$3,343	\$2,940	\$5,354
Foundation Skills	26	19	18	73.1	69.2	\$127,635	\$121,545	33	31	\$3,868	\$3,921	\$5,858	\$5,069
GED Preparation	20	9	12	45.0	60.0	\$13,236	\$22,644	13	16	\$1,018	\$1,415	\$1,537	\$1,465
Global Maritime Distress & Safety System	6	4	4	66.7	66.7	\$68,985	\$98,801	7	8	\$9,855	\$12,350	\$20,437	\$24,743
Hazwoper Training	4	4	4	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	8	7	ND	ND	ND	ND
Heavy Equipment Technology	7	5	6	71.4	85.7	\$15,052	\$21,110	8	10	\$1,882	\$2,111	\$2,850	\$3,634
History of International Foods	9	8	8	88.9	88.9	\$155,792	\$222,602	15	16	\$10,386	\$13,913	\$19,553	\$27,159
Holiday Food Arts	27	8	12	29.6	44.4	\$91,951	\$185,044	14	24	\$6,568	\$7,710	\$10,018	\$16,001
Industrial Electricity	30	23	24	76.7	80.0	\$163,168	\$387,523	39	44	\$4,184	\$8,807	\$7,527	\$14,090
Industrial First Aid	1	1	1	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	2	1	ND	ND	ND	ND
Industrial First Aid And CPR	26	15	13	57.7	50.0	\$161,472	\$158,586	25	23	\$6,459	\$6,895	\$9,950	\$10,275
Information Technology	16	10	9	62.5	56.3	\$67,210	\$95,473	16	18	\$4,201	\$5,304	\$4,081	\$7,928
Information Technology Test Prep	14	6	4	42.9	28.6	\$42,732	\$60,201	10	8	\$4,273	\$7,525	\$7,350	\$13,651
Intro to Heavy Equipment Operation	26	23	21	88.5	80.8	\$244,457	\$230,137	40	39	\$6,111	\$5,901	\$8,731	\$7,705
Introduction To Computers	30	16	16	53.3	53.3	\$134,260	\$93,625	28	26	\$4,795	\$3,601	\$8,471	\$5,138
Introduction To Electronic Navigation	10	8	8	80.0	80.0	\$181,831	\$249,687	16	16	\$11,364	\$15,605	\$24,080	\$34,624
Introduction To Excel	11	10	11	90.9	100.0	\$126,955	\$172,339	19	22	\$6,682	\$7,834	\$12,440	\$16,162
Introduction to Microsoft Power Point	11	10	11	90.9	100.0	\$159,122	\$277,551	19	21	\$8,375	\$13,217	\$17,029	\$28,769
Introduction to Microsoft Word	12	12	11	100.0	91.7	\$212,731	\$257,003	23	22	\$9,249	\$11,682	\$19,088	\$22,594
Introduction to Windows	20	19	19	95.0	95.0	\$313,179	\$473,858	37	38	\$8,464	\$12,470	\$18,717	\$29,459

AVTEC Participants-FY 2001 Employment and Earnings Before and After Training Program Months 7 to 12													
Training Program	Number Exiting	Number Employed		Percent Employed		Total Wages		Total Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings/Qtr		Total Median Earnings	
		Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Introduction to Yup'ik Eskimo Language	8	7	7	87.5	87.5	\$107,442	\$135,101	13	14	\$8,265	\$9,650	\$15,543	\$19,220
Life Coping Skills	5	3	4	60.0	80.0	\$24,840	\$35,869	6	8	\$4,140	\$4,484	\$1,926	\$6,241
Lifeboatman	6	5	6	83.3	100.0	\$58,188	\$144,639	9	12	\$6,465	\$12,053	\$9,150	\$21,440
Marine Elec. Chart Display for Teachers	3	2	2	66.7	66.7	ND	ND	4	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Marine Safety - Teachers-AMSEA	4	4	3	100.0	75.0	ND	ND	8	6	ND	ND	ND	ND
Marine Special Topics	3	3	2	100.0	66.7	ND	ND	5	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Master/mate, Limited	12	7	9	58.3	75.0	\$96,372	\$107,319	12	14	\$8,031	\$7,666	\$9,262	\$5,017
Mathematics Improvement	3	1	1	33.3	33.3	ND	ND	2	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Medical Firstaid Provider	6	6	6	100.0	100.0	\$100,348	\$110,187	12	11	\$8,362	\$10,017	\$15,376	\$19,147
Microsoft Access, Intermediate Level	8	7	7	87.5	87.5	\$118,818	\$137,067	14	14	\$8,487	\$9,790	\$18,717	\$21,062
Microsoft Access, Intro Level	8	7	7	87.5	87.5	\$118,818	\$137,067	14	14	\$8,487	\$9,790	\$18,717	\$21,062
Microsoft Excel, Advanced Level	9	9	9	100.0	100.0	\$124,902	\$148,523	18	18	\$6,939	\$8,251	\$11,809	\$16,632
Microsoft Excel, Intermediate Level	8	8	8	100.0	100.0	\$104,850	\$128,946	16	16	\$6,553	\$8,059	\$11,130	\$15,036
Microsoft Windows System Maintenance	7	7	7	100.0	100.0	\$116,640	\$131,418	14	14	\$8,331	\$9,387	\$18,404	\$18,418
Microsoft Word, Advanced Level	5	5	5	100.0	100.0	\$89,876	\$117,145	10	10	\$8,988	\$11,715	\$20,167	\$22,594
Microsoft Word, Intermediate Level	11	10	10	90.9	90.9	\$157,954	\$222,557	18	20	\$8,775	\$11,128	\$19,301	\$21,821
Network Support Technology	1	1	1	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	2	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Operator Uninspect Passngr Vessel - Alaska	2	1	2	50.0	100.0	ND	ND	1	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Operator Uninspect PassngrMaster 100 Gt	7	3	3	42.9	42.9	\$43,436	\$39,832	5	5	\$8,687	\$7,966	\$12,351	\$18,630
OUPV-AK Rivers License	13	9	6	69.2	46.2	\$75,664	\$73,371	15	10	\$5,044	\$7,337	\$5,221	\$10,432
Pipe Welding	5	4	4	80.0	80.0	\$20,839	\$58,840	7	7	\$2,977	\$8,406	\$4,588	\$12,345
Plumbing And Heating	6	4	5	66.7	83.3	\$26,356	\$24,661	7	9	\$3,765	\$2,740	\$7,818	\$5,953
Power Plant Operation	24	19	20	79.2	83.3	\$117,262	\$161,605	32	35	\$3,664	\$4,617	\$3,048	\$6,603
Radar Observer	9	8	8	88.9	88.9	\$146,315	\$160,407	15	14	\$9,754	\$11,458	\$18,010	\$21,827
Radar Observer, Recertification	1	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Radar Refresher	7	7	6	100.0	85.7	\$167,440	\$178,332	11	11	\$15,222	\$16,212	\$17,550	\$34,135
Reading Improvement	2	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
School Bus Driver Instructor Refresher	19	15	15	78.9	78.9	\$186,621	\$243,486	30	30	\$6,221	\$8,116	\$10,846	\$13,626
Seafood Processing	44	26	31	59.1	70.5	\$76,960	\$90,146	43	46	\$1,790	\$1,960	\$1,248	\$1,702
Welding Technology	19	14	14	73.7	73.7	\$79,230	\$175,901	27	25	\$2,934	\$7,036	\$4,487	\$10,042
Welding Technology, Tech Prep	1	1	1	100.0	100.0	ND	ND	1	1	ND	ND	ND	ND
Workplace Writing Seminar	4	2	3	50.0	75.0	ND	ND	3	5	ND	ND	ND	ND

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Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

University of Alaska Vocational Education Programs

The University of Alaska provided information for 5,537 identifiable students participating in vocational education courses throughout Alaska. The students took classes in FY 2001 (summer 00, fall 00 and spring 01). Vocational education students were defined as students who had within the fiscal year either (1) received an Associates degree (A.A.S.) or certificate, (2) been enrolled in an A.A.S. or certificate program and completed at least three credits, or (3) been non-degree-seeking and completed at least three credits in vocational education courses. In addition, the students must not have returned to the University to take another class through Spring of 2002.

Performance and Participant Data

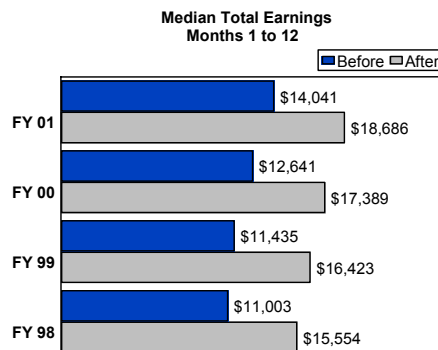
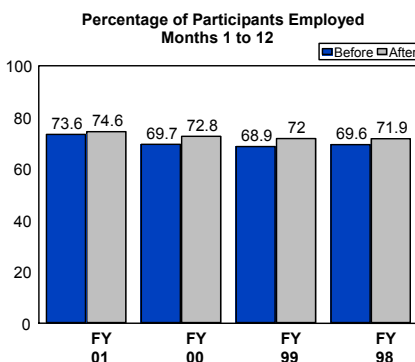
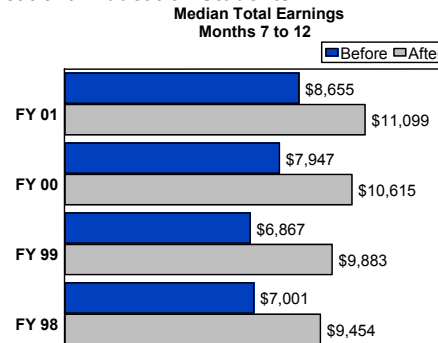
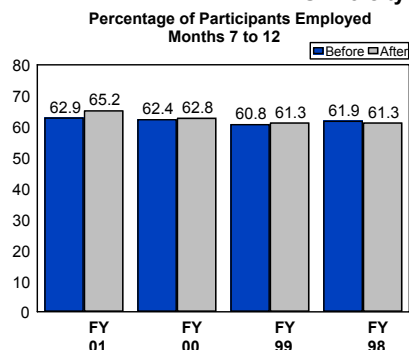
- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from a vocational program, 65.2 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. This is the second highest percentage of post-training employment reported in the FY 1997-FY 2001 period. An additional 481 participants, or 8.7 %, were identified from other state and federal employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- 80.5 percent of participants who were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$11,099.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by nearly 18.1 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 14.6 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$92.2 million.
- Based upon analysis of post-training U.I. wage record reported occupations, 55.7 percent of those employed in the months seven through 12 after exit from a training program were working in an occupation related to their training.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were services, retail trade, state and local government and transportation. Top occupations include office clerks, retail salespersons, bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks, nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants, and receptionists and information clerks.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
State of Alaska	263
University of Alaska	98
Yukon Kuskowim Health Corp	48
Providence Hospital	42
Anchorage School District	33

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

University of Alaska Vocational Education Programs Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	5,537	5,537
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	65.2	74.6
Median Total Earnings	\$11,099	\$18,686
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	55.7	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	3,609	4,129
Washington State Employed	86	93
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	413	413
Civilian Federal Government Employed	128	136
U.S. Postal Service	8	8
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	4,090	4,533
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	73.9	81.9
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	6,522	13,599
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$45,517,702	\$92,229,542
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$37,312,288	\$78,102,862
Percent change in total earnings after training	22.0	18.1
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$6,979	\$6,782
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$5,924	\$5,920
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	547	547
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	363	363
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	4,735	4,735
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	453	624
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	N/A	N/A
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	N/A	N/A
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status on FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of employed workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
University of Alaska Vocational Education Students**



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University of Alaska Vocational Education Students –FY 2001 Employment and Earnings Before and After Training Program by Completer Status, Sex and Race Months 7 to 12													
	Number Exiting	Number Employed		Percent Employed		Total Wages		Total Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings/Qtr		Total Median Earnings	
		Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Completer Status													
Not Enrolled in Program	4,394	2,724	2,827	62.0	64.3	\$31,202,080	\$36,963,064	4,931	5,113	\$6,328	\$7,229	\$9,653	\$11,620
Program Completer	290	172	209	59.3	72.1	\$1,582,166	\$2,892,764	314	390	\$5,039	\$7,417	\$7,234	\$13,114
Enrolled-Not Completed	1,093	726	739	66.4	67.6	\$5,697,967	\$7,360,111	1,295	1,314	\$4,400	\$5,601	\$6,011	\$8,970
Female	3,231	2,139	2,228	66.2	69.0	\$20,538,172	\$24,305,390	3,899	4,048	\$5,268	\$6,004	\$8,436	\$10,341
Male	2,546	1,483	1,547	58.2	60.8	\$17,944,040	\$22,910,550	2,641	2,769	\$6,794	\$8,274	\$8,839	\$12,567
Asian	187	127	120	67.9	64.2	\$1,096,387	\$1,615,041	226	223	\$4,851	\$7,242	\$7,238	\$12,203
Black	243	140	133	57.6	54.7	\$1,078,938	\$1,343,900	239	238	\$4,514	\$5,647	\$6,085	\$9,221
Hispanic	178	96	98	53.9	55.1	\$874,199	\$1,107,391	174	179	\$5,024	\$6,187	\$8,036	\$9,988
AK Native or Am. Indian	974	704	749	72.3	76.9	\$6,276,261	\$7,982,163	1,257	1,343	\$4,993	\$5,944	\$7,515	\$9,172
White	3,582	2,237	2,333	62.5	65.1	\$26,311,192	\$31,821,990	4,078	4,228	\$6,452	\$7,526	\$9,683	\$12,147
Other	613	318	342	51.9	55.8	\$2,845,235	\$3,345,455	566	606	\$5,027	\$5,521	\$6,600	\$7,175

Note: Includes duplicate count of students that exited multiple training programs.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

University of Alaska Vocational Education Students –FY 2001 Employment and Earnings Before and After Training Program by University Months 7 to 12													
	Number Exiting	Number Employed		Percent Employed		Total Wages		Total Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings/Qtr		Total Median Earnings	
		Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
University													
UAA	3,147	1,845	1,954	58.6	62.1	\$19,319,765	\$24,309,407	3,310	3,508	\$5,837	\$6,930	\$7,823	\$10,479
UAF	1,624	1,130	1,155	69.6	71.1	\$12,369,858	\$14,576,881	2,072	2,119	\$5,970	\$6,879	\$9,236	\$11,686
UAS	1,006	647	666	64.3	66.2	\$6,792,589	\$8,329,652	1,158	1,190	\$5,866	\$7,000	\$9,059	\$11,211
Campus													
Anchorage	1,740	1,145	1,147	65.8	65.9	\$12,154,247	\$14,731,703	2,072	2,091	\$5,866	\$7,045	\$8,654	\$11,458
Bristol Bay	82	64	68	78.0	82.9	\$853,619	\$981,919	119	128	\$7,173	\$7,671	\$14,704	\$15,421
Chukchi	32	27	28	84.4	87.5	\$174,853	\$463,293	44	54	\$3,974	\$8,579	\$3,479	\$16,414
Fairbanks	130	78	83	60.0	63.8	\$579,254	\$713,709	135	144	\$4,291	\$4,956	\$5,658	\$7,144
Interior/Aleutians	151	108	109	71.5	72.2	\$1,304,799	\$1,425,066	198	192	\$6,590	\$7,422	\$8,582	\$9,889
Juneau	510	340	346	66.7	67.8	\$3,589,837	\$4,193,587	615	628	\$5,837	\$6,678	\$9,047	\$11,146
Kachemak Bay	121	62	77	51.2	63.6	\$674,953	\$810,317	107	127	\$6,308	\$6,380	\$7,812	\$7,090
Kenai	310	189	200	61.0	64.5	\$1,734,412	\$2,793,064	332	367	\$5,224	\$7,611	\$6,212	\$11,905
Ketchikan	165	112	97	67.9	58.8	\$1,027,713	\$925,690	197	161	\$5,217	\$5,750	\$6,293	\$7,174
Kodiak	253	92	95	36.4	37.5	\$1,074,820	\$1,080,524	166	165	\$6,475	\$6,549	\$9,149	\$8,473
Kuskokwim	154	133	132	86.4	85.7	\$1,521,621	\$1,714,449	250	247	\$6,086	\$6,941	\$10,033	\$11,882
Mat-Su	576	260	336	45.1	58.3	\$2,239,536	\$3,216,105	452	579	\$4,955	\$5,555	\$4,843	\$5,656
Military	8	0	1	0	12.5	\$0	ND	0	2	\$0	ND	\$0	ND
Northwest	111	91	90	82.0	81.1	\$1,060,788	\$1,171,870	169	170	\$6,277	\$6,893	\$11,933	\$12,782
PWSCC	139	97	98	69.8	70.5	\$1,441,796	\$1,673,051	181	177	\$7,966	\$9,452	\$8,789	\$11,777
Rural College	86	51	60	59.3	69.8	\$343,563	\$565,499	86	106	\$3,995	\$5,335	\$3,481	\$9,242
Sitka	331	195	223	58.9	67.4	\$2,175,039	\$3,210,375	346	401	\$6,286	\$8,006	\$10,520	\$13,889
Tanana Valley	878	578	585	65.8	66.6	\$6,531,362	\$7,541,076	1,071	1,078	\$6,098	\$6,995	\$9,773	\$12,244

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Note: Includes duplicate count of students that exited multiple training programs.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

TRAINING PROGRAM PERFORMANCE—2001

University of Alaska Vocational Education Students –FY 2001 Employment and Earnings Before and After Training Program Months 7 to 12													
Reported Major or Program of Study	Number Exiting	Number Employed		Percent Employed		Total Wages		Total Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings/Qtr		Total Median Earnings	
		Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Accounting	253	167	165	66.0	65.2	\$1,984,177	\$2,222,122	306	309	\$6,484	\$7,191	\$10,894	\$13,372
Agriculture	17	10	9	58.8	52.9	\$154,620	\$144,179	18	16	\$8,590	\$9,011	\$13,504	\$13,651
Airframe & Poweplant Mech.	10	5	7	50.0	70.0	\$49,102	\$135,552	9	13	\$5,456	\$10,427	\$5,268	\$18,191
American Sign Language (ASLG)	35	23	23	65.7	65.7	\$240,667	\$240,427	40	43	\$6,017	\$5,591	\$7,643	\$9,489
American Sign Language* (ASL)	115	60	71	52.2	61.7	\$577,304	\$699,018	109	127	\$5,296	\$5,504	\$6,433	\$8,956
Applied Business	130	95	97	73.1	74.6	\$1,117,189	\$1,291,739	176	182	\$6,348	\$7,097	\$9,861	\$11,650
Architect Engineering Tech	57	32	34	56.1	59.6	\$266,644	\$448,787	55	62	\$4,848	\$7,239	\$5,602	\$11,975
Auto/Diesel Technology	21	13	17	61.9	81.0	\$93,503	\$183,468	25	32	\$3,740	\$5,733	\$9,239	\$9,149
Automotive Tech	31	24	20	77.4	64.5	\$254,444	\$271,251	44	35	\$5,783	\$7,750	\$7,921	\$10,988
Aviation Technology (AT)	300	147	145	49.0	48.3	\$1,904,422	\$2,316,075	260	252	\$7,325	\$9,191	\$9,729	\$12,095
Aviation Technology (AVTY)	26	16	20	61.5	76.9	\$227,265	\$305,443	30	36	\$7,575	\$8,485	\$10,729	\$12,405
Business Administration (BA)	339	222	214	65.5	63.1	\$2,023,639	\$2,579,198	399	383	\$5,072	\$6,734	\$6,681	\$11,283
Community Education (CED)	24	17	16	70.8	66.7	\$281,542	\$226,084	33	31	\$8,532	\$7,293	\$16,807	\$11,087
Community Health Pract	72	66	63	91.7	87.5	\$830,474	\$934,789	127	121	\$6,539	\$7,726	\$11,225	\$12,864
Computer Info Office Systems	1,531	871	948	56.9	61.9	\$8,943,463	\$10,717,897	1,566	1,689	\$5,711	\$6,346	\$8,518	\$10,017
Construction Technology (CT)	78	48	47	61.5	60.3	\$334,129	\$383,940	79	73	\$4,229	\$5,259	\$3,026	\$3,325
Dental Assisting	2	1	1	50.0	50.0	ND	ND	2	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Dental Hygiene	12	8	11	66.7	91.7	\$60,889	\$278,853	13	22	\$4,684	\$12,675	\$5,812	\$22,647
Diesel Tech (DESL)	27	19	20	70.4	74.1	\$259,600	\$267,844	35	37	\$7,417	\$7,239	\$10,355	\$11,518
Diesel Technology (DSLTL)	4	3	4	75.0	100.0	ND	ND	6	5	ND	ND	ND	ND
Dietetics & Nutrition	35	24	19	68.6	54.3	\$256,233	\$225,822	45	35	\$5,694	\$6,452	\$7,931	\$12,840
Drafting Technology (DRT)	41	24	22	58.5	53.7	\$351,124	\$341,088	45	39	\$7,803	\$8,746	\$16,107	\$15,982
Drafting Technology (DT)	13	6	5	46.2	38.5	\$81,929	\$75,834	11	10	\$7,448	\$7,583	\$11,055	\$14,095
Early Childhood	33	23	22	69.7	66.7	\$210,113	\$173,386	43	41	\$4,886	\$4,229	\$9,523	\$7,370
Early Childhood Dev (ECD)	118	93	87	78.8	73.7	\$786,878	\$937,280	167	162	\$4,712	\$5,786	\$7,122	\$9,546
Electronics Technology	60	34	43	56.7	71.7	\$427,098	\$660,652	63	74	\$6,779	\$8,928	\$10,158	\$12,210
Emergency Med Tech (EMT)	77	42	50	54.5	64.9	\$464,664	\$544,819	82	91	\$5,667	\$5,987	\$9,550	\$9,901
Emergency Medical Services	89	63	60	70.8	67.4	\$659,448	\$821,581	111	111	\$5,941	\$7,402	\$10,087	\$12,748
Engineering Design Drafting	26	15	11	57.7	42.3	\$230,327	\$204,015	27	18	\$8,531	\$11,334	\$12,677	\$22,354
English as a Second Language	36	19	22	52.8	61.1	\$107,435	\$170,067	30	39	\$3,581	\$4,361	\$4,800	\$8,538
Environmental Technology	14	12	12	85.7	85.7	\$141,866	\$127,640	22	21	\$6,448	\$6,078	\$12,502	\$10,710
Family and Consumer Sciences	1	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Fire Science (FIRE)	101	70	78	69.3	77.2	\$933,169	\$1,148,777	130	143	\$7,178	\$8,033	\$11,947	\$13,544
Fire Service Administration	35	28	28	80.0	80.0	\$409,386	\$445,985	54	51	\$7,581	\$8,745	\$12,007	\$12,692
Floral Design (FD)	9	7	7	77.8	77.8	\$40,866	\$64,630	12	12	\$3,406	\$5,386	\$5,092	\$7,275
Geographic Information Systems	20	14	14	70.0	70.0	\$340,987	\$269,941	28	26	\$12,178	\$10,382	\$17,854	\$19,708
Geomatics	16	12	12	75.0	75.0	\$219,849	\$259,003	20	24	\$10,992	\$10,792	\$21,835	\$22,821
Guidance	55	29	33	52.7	60.0	\$120,635	\$275,917	47	59	\$2,567	\$4,677	\$2,794	\$8,593
Health	125	83	89	66.4	71.2	\$615,650	\$832,800	146	161	\$4,217	\$5,173	\$5,609	\$9,416
Health Care Assisting (HCA)	94	60	57	63.8	60.6	\$512,297	\$526,850	109	104	\$4,700	\$5,066	\$6,744	\$8,637
Health Information Managment	58	46	42	79.3	72.4	\$525,929	\$539,395	85	77	\$6,187	\$7,005	\$11,309	\$13,426
Health Sciences	104	71	86	68.3	82.7	\$526,136	\$873,621	126	156	\$4,176	\$5,600	\$6,347	\$10,152
Heavy Equipment Mechanics	7	7	5	100.0	71.4	\$53,122	\$36,424	13	8	\$4,086	\$4,553	\$6,328	\$3,540
Human Services (HUMS)	116	78	89	67.2	76.7	\$592,688	\$824,633	139	163	\$4,264	\$5,059	\$6,922	\$8,211
Human Services Technology	140	113	114	80.7	81.4	\$1,098,552	\$1,266,406	214	211	\$5,133	\$6,002	\$9,066	\$11,929
Industrial Technology (ITEC)	28	23	18	82.1	64.3	\$675,236	\$746,415	40	36	\$16,881	\$20,734	\$23,973	\$39,089
Interior Design	9	6	8	66.7	88.9	\$80,444	\$53,927	12	15	\$6,704	\$3,595	\$4,113	\$7,010
Justice	68	52	67	76.5	98.5	\$653,964	\$1,462,585	94	129	\$6,957	\$11,338	\$13,255	\$22,895
Law Science	22	12	10	54.5	45.5	\$147,660	\$170,070	22	18	\$6,712	\$9,448	\$10,202	\$14,054
Marine Technology	57	25	22	43.9	38.6	\$274,320	\$311,060	42	39	\$6,531	\$7,976	\$4,338	\$10,602
Mechanical Tech	15	10	8	66.7	53.3	\$68,202	\$75,189	16	13	\$4,263	\$5,784	\$2,139	\$1,798
Medical Assisting	60	49	45	81.7	75.0	\$510,295	\$559,341	92	86	\$5,547	\$6,504	\$9,505	\$12,670
Medical Lab Tech	18	14	13	77.8	72.2	\$78,513	\$154,199	26	25	\$3,020	\$6,168	\$5,789	\$11,500
Nursing (NURS)	36	21	31	58.3	86.1	\$224,932	\$527,772	40	55	\$5,623	\$9,596	\$10,490	\$18,981
Occupational Certif Training	31	16	22	51.6	71.0	\$89,597	\$164,757	27	35	\$3,318	\$4,707	\$5,712	\$5,623
Paralegal (PARL)	34	21	15	61.8	44.1	\$198,396	\$232,458	37	29	\$5,362	\$8,016	\$6,772	\$16,161
Paralegal Studies (PLS)	28	20	18	71.4	64.3	\$200,804	\$188,376	38	33	\$5,284	\$5,708	\$10,268	\$9,352
Petroleum Technology (PETR)	60	44	48	73.3	80.0	\$571,695	\$1,042,481	77	92	\$7,425	\$11,331	\$11,141	\$22,057
Refrigeration & Heating	59	26	35	44.1	59.3	\$86,368	\$265,841	37	58	\$2,334	\$4,583	\$1,049	\$1,386
Rural Human Services	28	25	23	89.3	82.1	\$250,028	\$185,698	47	39	\$5,320	\$4,761	\$8,454	\$6,691
Trade & Technology (TT)	1	1	0	100.0	0	ND	ND	2	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Trades And Technology (TTCH)	28	22	22	78.6	78.6	\$385,910	\$419,164	44	41	\$8,771	\$10,224	\$14,875	\$16,389
Vocational Education	3	2	3	66.7	100.0	ND	ND	3	5	ND	ND	ND	ND

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		Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Vocational Skills	31	14	20	45.2	64.5	\$275,799	\$336,902	27	33	\$10,215	\$10,209	\$12,868	\$13,129
Welding & Materials Tech	103	55	56	53.4	54.4	\$975,533	\$1,017,308	104	100	\$9,380	\$10,173	\$16,263	\$18,685
Welding Tech	172	98	105	57.0	61.0	\$1,039,559	\$1,363,655	169	181	\$6,151	\$7,534	\$7,238	\$9,780
Wood Technology	29	15	14	51.7	48.3	\$154,013	\$206,042	24	27	\$6,417	\$7,631	\$5,251	\$17,697

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Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

WIA Title IB Dislocated Worker Program

The WIA Dislocated Worker Program provides employment and training assistance for dislocated workers. Services available include career counseling, testing, job placement, occupational training, relocation assistance and other services.

In FY 2001, a total of 201 individuals were identified as participating in the WIA Dislocated Program.

Performance and Participant Data

- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from this program, 68.2 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. Six additional participants, or nearly three percent, were identified from other state or federal employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- 86.2 percent of participants who were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$13,803.
- Total earnings of program participants decreased by nearly 4.2 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 5.4 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$4.1 million.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were services, state and local government, mining and transportation. Top occupations include extraction workers, bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks, receptionists and information clerks, general office clerks, nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants and construction laborers.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

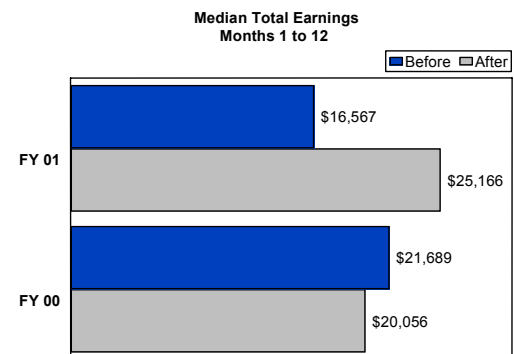
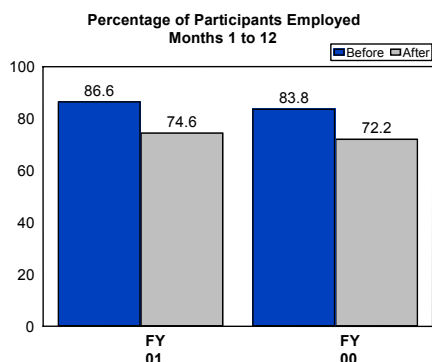
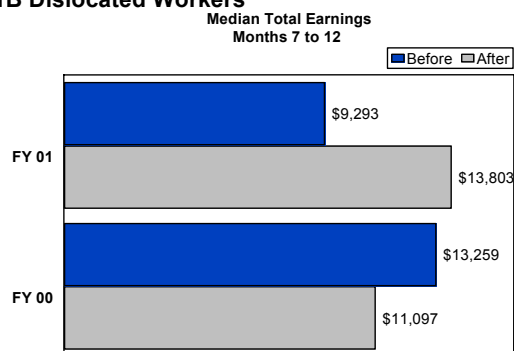
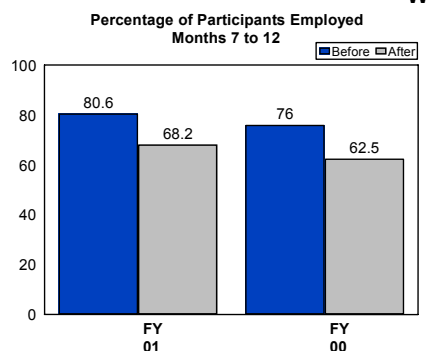
Employer	Number Employed
State of Alaska Department of Administration	12
Nabors Alaska Drilling Inc.	5
VECO Alaska Inc.	4
Fred Meyer Shopping Centers	3
Anchorage School District	3
University of Alaska	3

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

WIA Title 1B Dislocated Worker Program Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	201	201
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	68.2	74.6
Median Total Earnings	\$13,803	\$25,166
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	137	150
Washington State Employed	8	8
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	2	2
Civilian Federal Government Employed	2	4
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	143	155
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	71.1	77.1
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	252	516
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$2,063,913	\$4,144,151
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$2,144,014	\$4,327,717
Percent change in total earnings after training	-3.7	-4.2
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$8,190	\$8,031
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$7,171	\$7,619
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	26	26
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	24	24
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	176	176
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	23	47
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	46	46
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	7	7

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section
1/ Based upon military status on FY 2002
2/ Unduplicated count of employed workers
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
WIA Title 1B Dislocated Workers**



State Training and Employment Program

Funded by a percentage of employee contributions to the Alaska unemployment insurance trust fund, STEP provides training and/or reemployment assistance to unemployed or under-employed workers who have contributed to the fund. By reducing the length of time that workers are unemployed, the program is designed to reduce the amount of unemployment insurance benefits that are paid.

In FY 2001, a total of 1,209 individuals with social security numbers were identified as exiting the program.

Performance and Participant Data

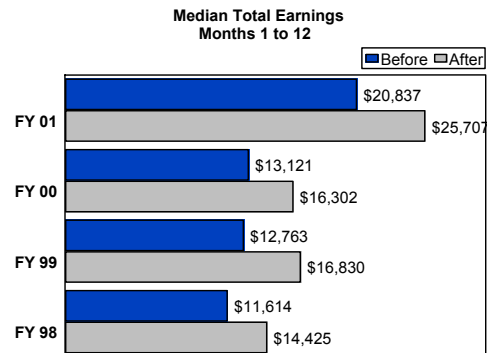
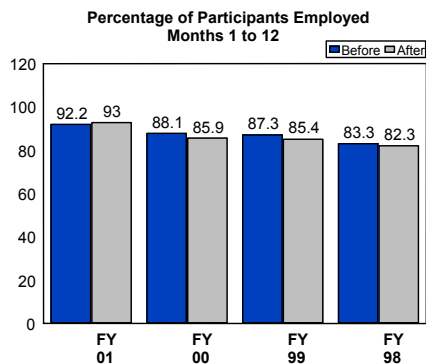
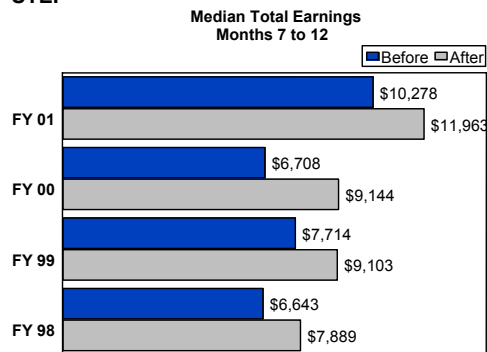
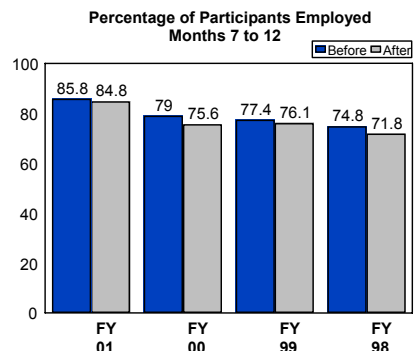
- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the STEP program, 84.8 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. An additional 14 participants, or about one percent, were identified from other state or federal employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- 79.4 percent of participants were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$11,963.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by 18.5 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 13.5 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$33.1 million.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were construction, services, state and local government, transportation, mining and retail trade. Top occupations include construction workers, operating engineers and other construction equipment operators, electricians, teachers, nursing aides, and sailors and marine oilers.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
State of Alaska, Department of Administration	112
Rural Alaska Community Action Program	43
Houston/NANA JV	19
Cornerstone Home Health Inc.	19
Alaska Interstate Construction LLC	18
Houston Contracting Co. AK Ltd.	15

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

State Training and Employment Program Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	1,209	1,209
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	84.8	93.0
Median Total Earnings	\$11,963	\$25,707
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	1,025	1,124
Washington State Employed	14	16
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	10	10
Civilian Federal Government Employed	7	9
U.S. Postal Service	3	3
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	1,039	1,132
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	85.9	93.6
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	1,836	3,878
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$14,382,234	\$33,142,917
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$13,079,175	\$27,957,300
Percent change in total earnings after training	10.0	18.5
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$7,833	\$8,546
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$7,085	\$7,528
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	114	114
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	65	65
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	1,134	1,134
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	513	606
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	183	183
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	11	11
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status on FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of employed workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
STEP**



Training Expenditures and Participant Outcomes by STEP Training Provider								
Vendor Name	Number of Clients Served	Training Expenditures	Earnings 4 Qtrs Before and After STEP		Employment 4 Qtrs Before and After STEP		Change in Number Employed	% Change in Earnings
			Before	After	Before	After		
All Terminated Clients	1,209	\$1,460,002	\$27,957,300	\$33,142,917	1,115	1,124	9	18.5
AK Laborers Training Trust	289	227,933	5,736,579	7,119,777	272	273	1	24.1
Alaska Operating Engineers	196	231,712	8,660,263	9,757,828	194	192	-2	12.7
Inland Boatmens Union of The Pacific	98	174,046	3,232,876	3,396,620	95	96	1	5.1
Mila Inc.	93	269,849	1,434,022	1,628,533	75	74	-1	13.6
AK Joint Elec Apprentice Training-IBEW	80	218,319	2,338,781	2,737,891	80	80	0	17.1
Energy Group / AIDEA	59	87,936	1,243,281	1,454,597	56	56	0	17.0
Cornerstone Home Health Inc	49	58,637	609,181	824,530	43	44	1	35.4
Rural AK Community Action Program (RuralCAP)	48	111,540	562,078	707,913	47	48	1	25.9
University of Alaska	30	79,616	370,522	710,252	24	23	-1	91.7
Center For Employment & Education (CEE)	29	51,441	538,859	695,931	23	25	2	29.1
Participant Reimbursement	29	39,679	421,631	756,870	26	25	-1	79.5
Bristol Bay Native Assn (BBNA)	26	129,135	216,723	361,263	18	21	3	66.7
Yukon - Kuskokwim Health Corp.	24	43,659	354,265	515,558	22	23	1	45.5
AVTEC	21	39,291	67,568	111,107	21	19	-2	64.4
The Radact Program	20	34,651	523,996	682,016	18	19	1	30.2
Pile Drivers Union Local 2520	19	34,285	292,204	259,390	19	18	-1	-11.2
Not Captured At Time -old JTPA Records Only	15	19,396	227,360	364,452	13	13	0	60.3
Alaska Roofers Joint	11	31,853	116,586	137,108	10	10	0	17.6
Norton Sound	8	18,887	124,460	135,625	7	8	1	9.0
SEARHC Child Care Center	7	9,606	58,863	67,475	5	6	1	14.6
State of Alaska*	6	6,312	101,280	99,827	5	6	1	-1.4
Environmental Management Inc. (EMI)	5	2,997	1,959,148	2,395,047	3	4	1	22.2
Career Academy Inc.	4	24,982	ND	ND	3	4	1	ND
Northwest Arctic Borough School District	4	11,831	ND	ND	4	4	0	ND
Anchorage Municipality of (PeopleMover)	3	105	ND	ND	3	3	0	ND
Fred Meyer	3	157	ND	ND	3	3	0	ND
New Frontier Vocational Technical Center	3	7,511	ND	ND	3	3	0	ND
Potelcom Supply Inc.	3	8,259	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Sunshine Travel Inc.	3	4,036	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND
A Head of Time	2	10,055	ND	ND	1	2	1	ND
Alaska Commercial Company - Nome	2	1,116	ND	ND	1	2	1	ND
Anchorage Area Plumbers & Pipe Fitters	2	497	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND
Big Rays Surplus Inc.	2	3,262	ND	ND	2	1	-1	ND
Coast Guard United States	2	4,952	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND
Delta Mine Training Center	2	425	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND
F & F Safety Specialists Inc.	2	1,200	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND
Lamonts Apparel Inc.	2	3,205	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND
North Star Computing Inc.	2	6,796	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND
Sears Roebuck and Co.	2	3,096	ND	ND	2	1	-1	ND
Adventures N Taxidermy Studio	1	5,500	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Air Liquide America Corp	1	151	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Alaska Flying Network Inc	1	7,400	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Alaska Industrial Hardware	1	588	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Alaska Travel Concepts	1	1,090	ND	ND	0	1	1	ND

Training Expenditures and Participant Outcomes by STEP Training Provider								
Vendor Name	Number of Clients Served	Training Expenditures	Earnings 4 Qtrs Before and After STEP		Employment 4 Qtrs Before and After STEP		Change in Number Employed	% Change in Earnings
			Before	After	Before	After		
American Linen	1	71	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Anchorage Neighborhood Health Center	1	474	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Arctic Travel	1	621	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Aurora N Emergency Services Academy	1	5,500	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Benson Realty	1	600	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Borders Inc.	1	33	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Carrs Quality Centers	1	89	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Carlene's Uniform Shoppe	1	342	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Charter College Corporation of Alaska	1	5,500	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Crescent Electric Sup Co Del	1	750	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Dr. William C Rogers, OD	1	90	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Goldpanner Services	1	72	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Interior Medical Supply LLC	1	250	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Juneau Urgent Care Family Clinic	1	99	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Kenai Vision Center	1	310	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Kmart Corporation	1	41	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Knik Tribal Council	1	4,044	ND	ND	0	1	1	ND
Lutheran Health System	1	0	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Loussac Sogn Residential Hotel	1	570	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Microage Infosystems Svcs Inc	1	1,235	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Municipality of Anchorage	1	81	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Mush Inn Inc.	1	632	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Northland Services Inc.	1	3,361	ND	ND	1	0	-1	ND
Officemax Inc	1	2,619	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND
Peninsula Airways Inc.	1	1,974	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Providence Home Health	1	1,567	ND	ND	3	3	0	ND
Renu You Day Spa/Salon/Design Academy	1	2,883	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
SEGO Consultants	1	84	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Shear Allusions 2000, Training Salon	1	5,225	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Snap-On Incorporated	1	685	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Sterling Auto Parts	1	500	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Substance Abuse Directors Association of	1	200	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Sweetwater Travel	1	1,338	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Testing Institute of Alaska	1	387	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Trend Setters School Beauty	1	1,954	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Tyee Travel Inc.	1	28,550	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Urgent Care Medical Clinic PC	1	198	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Wasilla Chevron Food Mart	1	99	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
West Coast Training Co.	1	72	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Wizworks Computer Software Training Center	1	250	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND
Wyatt Enterprises, Inc.	1	7,675	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND

ND = Nondisclosable.

* State of Alaska includes various divisions within the state including Departments of Commerce, Transportation, the Alaska Court System, and the Office of the Governor.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

TAA and NAFTA-TAA

Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) is a federal entitlement program which offers assistance to workers who lose their jobs or whose hours of work and wages are reduced as a result of increased imports from any country. Under the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, workers whose employment is adversely affected by increased imports may apply for TAA, which offers a variety of benefits and reemployment services to help unemployed workers prepare for and obtain suitable jobs.

The North American Free Trade Agreement-Transitional Adjustment Assistance program (NAFTA-TAA), was added to the Trade Act in 1994. NAFTA-TAA is a federal entitlement program established to assist workers return to work after they have become unemployed due to imports from or a shift in production to either Mexico or Canada.

In FY 2001, a total of 144 individuals with social security numbers were identified as exiting from the TAA and NAFTA programs.

Performance and Participant Data

- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the TAA and NAFTA-TAA training programs, 64.6% of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. Seven additional participants, or 4.9%, were identified as employed based upon examination of Washington state or federal employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- Based upon supplemental data sources provided by TAA and NAFTA-TAA program staff, 18 additional participants were identified as having obtained employment in states other than Alaska or from other documented sources at some time during the three-quarters after exit from the program. This results in an estimated four-quarter post-training employment rate of 81.9. These additional workers and their earnings identified from supplemental sources are not included in the summary tables in this report.
- 88.2 percent of participants were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- During the four quarters following exit from the program, 107 program participants, 74.3 percent, were employed based upon examination of Alaska U.I. wage records, Washington state wage records, and federal military and civilian records.
- Median total earnings for those employed in Alaska at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$19,509.
- Total Alaska reported earnings of program participants decreased by 34.8 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked decreased by 6.2 percent.
- Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$4.2 million dollars.

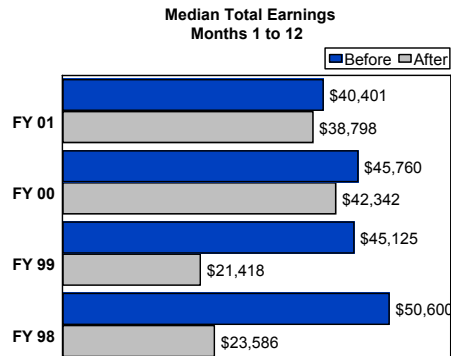
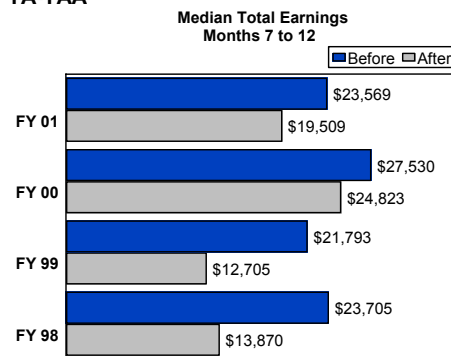
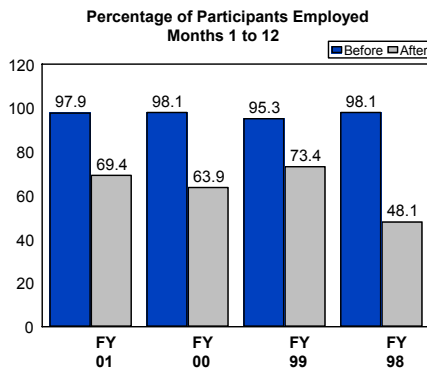
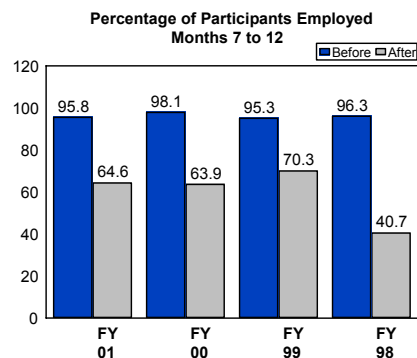
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were mining, services, construction and state and local government. Top occupations include extraction workers, computer support specialists, construction workers, welders, cutters, solderers, brazers, and laborers and material movers.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
Nabors Ak Drilling Inc	14
Metlakatla Indian Community	5
Schlumberger Technology Corp.	4
Peak Oilfield Services Co.	3
Doyon Drilling Inc.	3
Veco Alaska Inc	3

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development,
Research and Analysis Section.

TAA and NAFTA-TAA Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	144	144
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	64.6	69.4
Median Total Earnings	\$19,509	\$38,798
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	93	100
Washington State Employed	7	7
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	0	0
Civilian Federal Government Employed	2	2
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	100	107
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	69.4	74.3
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	166	348
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$2,024,859	\$4,185,761
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$3,305,819	\$6,424,273
Percent change in total earnings after training	-38.7	-34.8
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$12,198	\$12,028
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$12,522	\$12,823
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	7	7
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	10	10
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	98	98
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	25	37
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	18	18
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	0	0
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status on FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of employed workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
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**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
NAFTA-TAA**



Adults w/ Barriers

WIA Title 1B Adult Program

The WIA Title 1B Adult Program supports training and services for adults who face multiple barriers to employment. Program services include an assessment of needs and abilities and services such as classroom training, on-the-job training, job-search assistance, work experience, counseling, basic skills training and support services.

In FY 2001, a total of 243 individuals with social security numbers were identified as exiting from the WIA Title 1B Adult program.

Performance and Participant Data

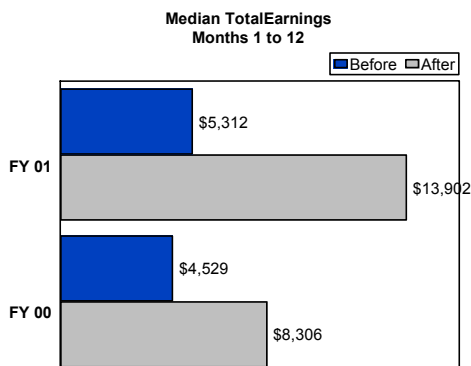
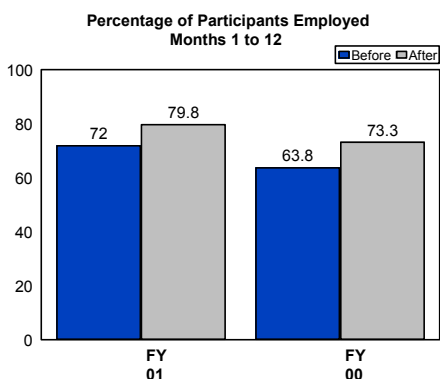
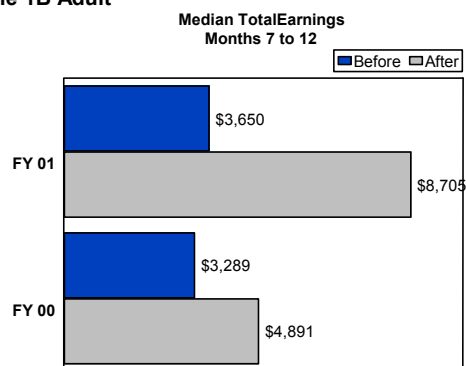
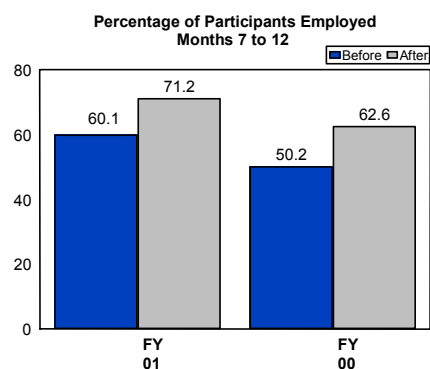
- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the program, 71.2 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. Eight additional participants, or 3.3%, were identified from other state or federal employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- 80.6 percent of participants were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$8,705.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by 159.1 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 93.3 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$3.3 million.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were services, mining and state and local government. Top occupations include general office clerks, receptionists and information clerks, retail sales, bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks, administrative support, and laborers and material movers.
- Top employers in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
State of Alaska	6
Teck Cominco Alaska Inc.	6
Tanana Chiefs Conference Inc.	6
Fred Meyer Shopping Centers	3
Providence Hospital	3

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

WIA Title 1B Adult Program Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	243	243
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	71.2	79.8
Median Total Earnings	\$8,705	\$13,902
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	173	194
Washington State Employed	6	6
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	5	5
Civilian Federal Government Employed	2	2
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	181	199
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	74.5	81.9
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	314	630
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$1,651,276	\$3,294,454
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$733,912	\$1,271,339
Percent change in total earnings after training	125.0	159.1
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$5,259	\$5,229
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$2,983	\$2,705
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	32	32
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	17	17
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	208	208
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	46	69
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	47	47
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	4	4
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
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**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
WIA Title 1B Adult**



Work Search

Work Search is a four-week program intended to help Temporary Assistance (ATAP) clients in their efforts to obtain and keep a job. It attempts to move clients into the workforce as quickly as possible. Temporary Assistance clients who are not exempt from participating in work activities participate in some form of Work Search.

Work Search is designed to deliver services to clients in a group setting and to model the day-to-day requirements of a job. Work Search as a stand-alone activity, also called Structured Work Search, is only available in communities with high concentrations of Temporary Assistance (ATAP) clients. Clients are required to attend for four weeks, five days a week, up to eight hours per day, unless a client finds a job before that time. In other areas of the state, Work Search activities are provided by contractors or grantees responsible for delivering Temporary Assistance Work Services. In any event, penalties are assessed by DPA for clients who, without good cause, fail to attend Structured Work Search or to participate in work search activities assigned by their case manager.

Work Search services include: a) an assessment of a client's skills, interests, aptitudes and challenges to employment; b) workshops, lectures and other activities to prepare clients to successfully find and keep employment; c) assisting clients to communicate with and support each other in their job seeking; d) actual job search by clients that is monitored by the Work Search provider; and e) the coaching, matching and placement of clients into employment.

In FY 2001, a total of 850 individuals with social security numbers were identified as exiting from the Work Search Program.

Performance and Participant Data

- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the Work Search program, 63.5 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. This is the highest percentage of post-training employment reported in the FY 1998-FY 2001 period. Eight additional participants, or 9.4%, were identified from other state or federal employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- 70.8 percent of participants were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$5,086.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by 88.8 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 32.0 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$6.4 million.

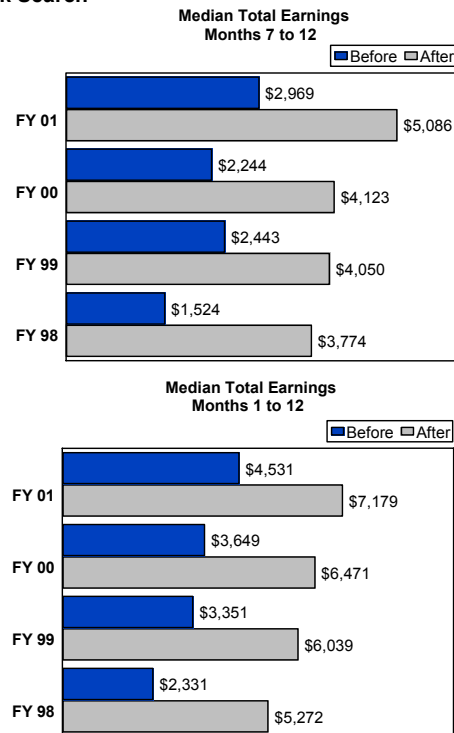
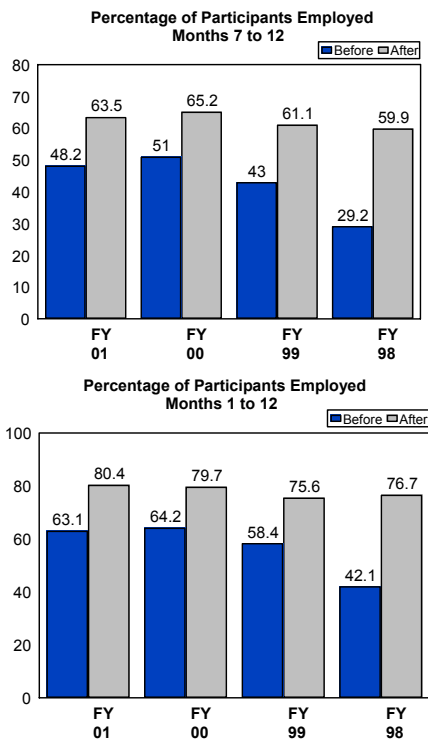
- The dominant industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were services, retail trade and transportation. Top occupations include cashiers, cleaning workers, retail sales, food service, customer service, and general office clerks.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
Wal-Mart Associates Inc.	13
State of Alaska	9
Tesoro Northstore Company	8
Kmart Corporation	8
Fred Myers Shopping Center	7
Safeway Inc.	6

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development,
Research and Analysis Section.

Work Search Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	850	850
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	63.5	80.4
Median Total Earnings	\$5,086	\$7,179
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	540	683
Washington State Employed	7	10
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	3	3
Civilian Federal Government Employed	1	2
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	548	688
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	64.5	80.9
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	925	1,982
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$3,112,136	\$6,385,106
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$1,713,330	\$3,381,297
Percent change in total earnings after training	81.6	88.8
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$3,364	\$3,222
Average earnings per quarter worked before training ^{3/}	\$2,576	\$2,440
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	58	58
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	56	56
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	748	748
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	149	217
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	13	13
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	1	1
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status on FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
Work Search**



Youth Programs

WIA Title 1B Youth Program

This year-round youth program provides training and employment programs for both in-school and out-of-school youth. Services may include limited internships in the private sector, school-to-work transition services, and alternative high school services. The targeted population is low-income youth, age 16 to 21. The summer youth employment program is designed to improve basic education skills, encourage school completion, provide exposure to work, and enhance citizenship skills. Under WIA Title 1B, most youth are enrolled into programs where employment related performance outcomes do not apply. The emphasis for youth services involves achieving skill attainment in three specific areas; Basic Academic Skills, Occupational Skills, and Work Readiness Skills. The targeted population is low-income youth, age 14 to 21.

In FY 2001, a total of 294 individuals with social security numbers were identified as exiting from the WIA Title 1B Youth program, including summer youth employment program participants.

Performance and Participant Data

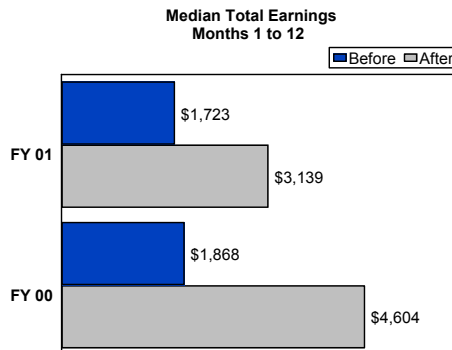
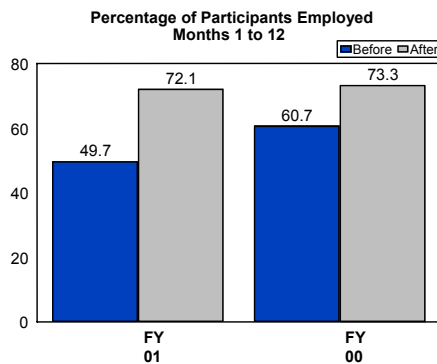
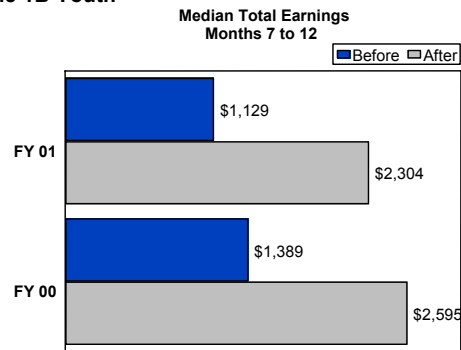
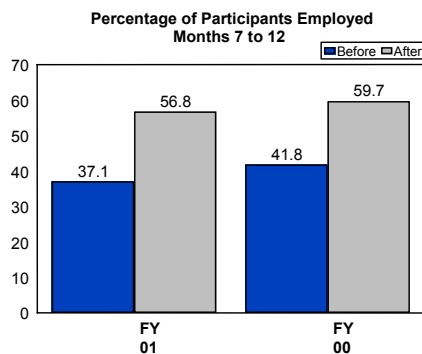
- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the WIA Title 1B Youth Program, 56.8 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. An additional 23 participants, or 7.8%, were identified from other state or federal government employment records. This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.
- 52.9 percent of participants who were employed in the first quarter after exit retained employment in the third quarter after exit.
- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$2,304.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by 271.0 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 121.1 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were over \$1.07 million.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were retail trade, services and transportation. Top occupations include food service, cashiers, cleaning workers, general office clerks, and retail sales.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
Safeway Inc.	6
Gross Alaska Inc.	3
Fred Meyer Shopping Centers	3
Tanana City School District	3
Denali Foods Inc.	3
Alaska Commercial Co.	3

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

WIA Title 1B Youth Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	294	294
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	56.8	72.1
Median Total Earnings	\$2,304	\$3,139
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	167	212
Washington State Employed	9	9
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	19	19
Civilian Federal Government Employed	0	2
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	190	229
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	64.6	77.9
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	269	537
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$594,980	\$1,079,426
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$154,480	\$290,986
Percent change in total earnings after training	284.4	271.0
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$2,212	\$2,010
Average earnings per quarter worked before training	\$955	\$909
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	7	7
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	6	6
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	239	239
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	12	19
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	48	48
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	2	2
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
WIA Title 1B Youth**



Other Programs

Vocational & Technical Education Programs Supported by Carl Perkins Funding

The purpose of the Carl Perkins Vocational & Technical Education Act of 1998 (Perkins III) is to develop more fully the academic, vocational, and technical skills of all secondary students and postsecondary students who elect to enroll in vocational and technical education programs, by:

- (1) building on the efforts of States and localities to develop challenging academic standards;
- (2) promoting the development of services and activities that integrate academic, vocational, and technical instruction, and that link secondary and postsecondary education for participating vocational and technical education students;
- (3) increasing State and local flexibility in providing services and activities designed to develop, implement, and improve vocational and technical education, including tech-prep education; and
- (4) disseminating national research, and providing professional development and technical assistance, that will improve vocational and technical education program, services, and activities.

In order to receive funds, education agencies must have prepared a four-year local plan for vocational and technical education plus an annual funding application and annual performance report. In FY 2001, fifty-three school districts, four postsecondary institutions and three tech-prep consortia participated in the funding program. The major state program improvement efforts during FY 2001 were realigning local curriculum to reflect state academic and national skill standards, building a data reporting system to meet the accountability requirements, and developing professional development opportunities for local teachers. In FY 2001, Alaska received \$4,214,921 in Perkins' Basic Grant funds and \$392,078 in Tech-Prep funds for these programs.

Perkins III legislation significantly changed the federal reporting requirements for vocational and technical education accountability. Because the Perkins funds are intended to improve existing programs or develop new elements, data are required on the results of the *entire* vocational & technical program provided by the school district or postsecondary institution, not just the component that benefits from Perkins funding. The district or institution is given the flexibility to target the federal Perkins funds to any portion of this program that needs improvement or expansion. The Perkins statute requires data reporting about "participants" – students who enroll in one or more vocational and technical courses, "concentrators" – students who demonstrate commitment to a specific vocational & technical program, and "completers" – students who successfully finish the program available at their school or institution.

The Department of Education and Early Development (EED) and the Department of Labor and Workforce Development (DLWD) have worked cooperatively to obtain performance outcome statistics for both secondary and postsecondary vocational and technical program exiters. Postsecondary Perkins programs are managed by the DLWD and the Alaska Workforce Investment Board and have been tracked through data provided by the University of Alaska and the Alaska Vocational Technical Education Center. The EED manages secondary programs and data collection. The majority of school districts forwarded completer data to DLWD Research and Analysis for follow-up information using U.I. records and enrollment records from the University of Alaska. A number of school districts chose to conduct their own follow-up surveys and submit the aggregate information to the EED. Students from these districts, which constitute 20 percent of the state's total secondary vocational completers, are not included in this report's tables and graphs.

Carl Perkins – Postsecondary and Tech-Prep

Postsecondary Background

Alaska's Perkins funding for Vocational and Technical Education grants is divided based on a ratio of 85% for secondary schools and 15% for postsecondary. The resulting allocation for postsecondary institutions for FY 2000 and FY 2001 was \$483,662 per year. This money was distributed via competitive four-year renewable grants to four places: (1) AVTEC, (2) the Kachemak Bay Campus of the Kenai Peninsula College of the University of Alaska Anchorage, (3) the Sitka Campus of the University of Alaska Southeast, and (4) the Tanana Valley Campus of the College of Rural Alaska of the University of Alaska Fairbanks.

Postsecondary institutions also participate in the Perkins tech-prep competitive grants, which in FY 2001 totaled \$392,078. Three tech prep consortiums receive Perkins Tech Prep grants, with the funding going directly to the secondary school districts. The Delta/Greely School District partners with the Tanana Valley Campus, the Lower Kuskokwim School District partners with the Kuskokwim Campus of the College of Rural Alaska, and the Matanuska-Susitna School District partners with the Matanuska-Susitna College of the University of Alaska Anchorage. Each consortium may have additional partners, such as apprenticeship programs or additional postsecondary institutions.

Postsecondary Data – What is Counted

Perkins funding is significant for the institutions that receive it, for the programs that it improves, and for the leveraging that occurs because of those efforts. It is worth realizing, however, that the vast majority of postsecondary career and technical education programs within the state, and which are included in this section of the report, receive no direct Perkins funding. This report includes data on students taking courses in all vocational education programs of the University of Alaska system and in all AVTEC programs of at least 80 contact hours. They are being counted without regard as to whether or not the institution they are attending, or the program they are taking, receives any Perkins funding.

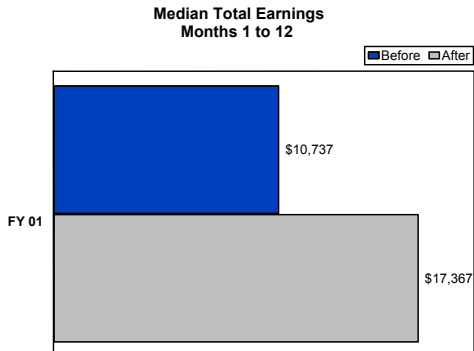
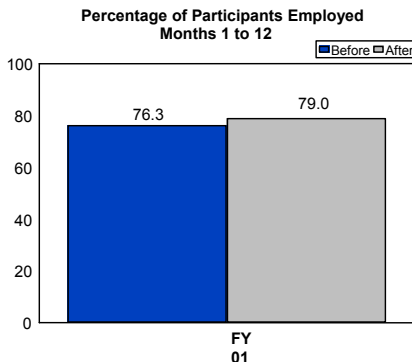
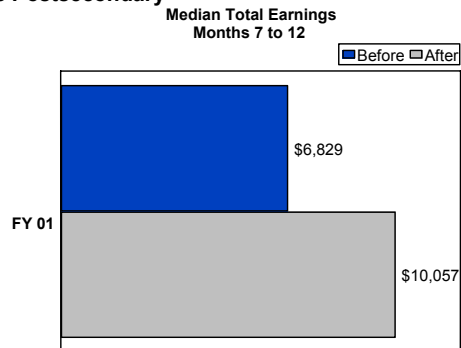
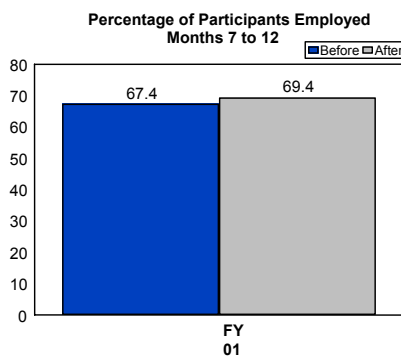
This report counts and names as participants those whom the Perkins federal program calls "concentrators." The Perkins state definition for concentrator is:

A participant who has been admitted into a certificate or degree program, or has completed at least twelve vocational credit hours of the course/program of study toward a certificate or associate degree, or has completed all coursework for an industry recognized credential (not awarded by the postsecondary institution), as established by the postsecondary institution.

Unfortunately, the University system currently cannot track students completing coursework for which a credential can be earned. Therefore, as an approximation to allow UA career and technical education students who have earned 9 total credits during the reporting year are counted as concentrators, and these, along with AVTEC students who meet the above definition, are included in the postsecondary section of this report.

Carl Perkins Postsecondary Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	4,389	4,389
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	69.4	79.0
Median Total Earnings	\$10,057	\$17,367
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	3,046	3,468
Washington State Employed	47	54
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	56	58
Civilian Federal Government Employed	58	59
U.S. Postal Service	3	3
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	3,185	3,577
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	72.6	81.5
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	5,468	11,368
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$33,626,968	\$68,989,035
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$25,615,849	\$51,498,246
Percent change in total earnings after training	31.3	34.0
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$6,150	\$6,069
Average earnings per quarter worked before training	\$4,868	\$4,864
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	368	368
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	252	252
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	194	194
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	376	542
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	1,509	1,509
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	194	194
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings
Carl Perkins Postsecondary**



Carl Perkins – Secondary

Secondary Program Background

In FY 2001, 21,530 secondary students in 53 Alaskan school districts participated in a program within one of sixteen career clusters identified by the U.S. Department of Education. The most popular cluster at the secondary level was Business & Administrative Services, followed by a fairly even distribution among Manufacturing, Arts & Communication Services, Scientific & Technical Services, Construction, Transportation, Human Services and IT Services. All local school district programs began a review of their vocational curriculum to assure its alignment with industry based occupation standards as well as the state's performance standards for reading, writing and math and other state academic, employability and cultural standards.

Secondary Data – What is Counted

Secondary data reporting for Perkins statute requires different definitions from those used for this report. Perkins data reporting collects information about three different levels of involvement: “participants” – students who enroll in one or more vocational and technical courses, “concentrators” – students who enroll in two or more courses within a specific vocational & technical program, and “completers” – students who successfully finish the program available at their school or institution.

Secondary program student data from Alaska school districts was matched with Alaska U.I. wage records and other administrative data to determine if students are employed, in the military or continuing their education. A follow-up of secondary students who graduated or dropped out in the 2000-2001 school year found that more than 67.2 percent of those students were employed or continued their education within the state during months seven to 12 after exit from the program (January to June 2002). Twenty-seven percent of these completers enrolled in University of Alaska or AVTEC program during this same time period. It was not possible to access postsecondary enrollment information for the students who chose to attend out-of-state institutions.

The following tables and charts report follow-up employment information for 3,090 vocational program “completers” who exited their school during or following the 2000-2001 school year.

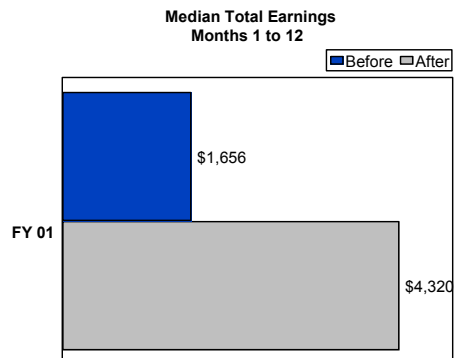
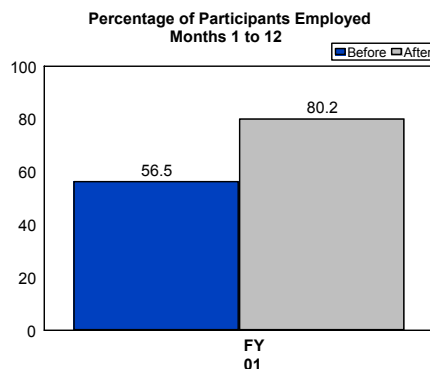
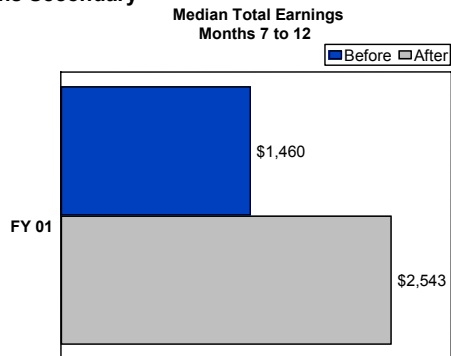
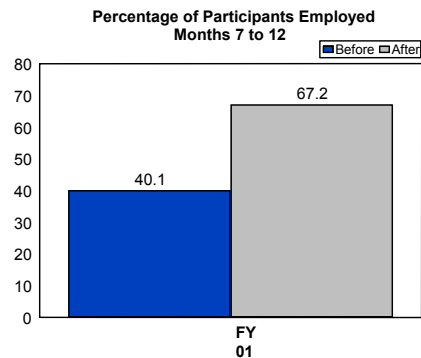
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were retail trade, services, local government, construction and transportation. Top occupations include food service, retail sales, cashiers, general office clerks, and laborers and material movers.
- Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
Wal-Mart Associates Inc.	43
North Slope Borough School	37
Fred Meyer Shopping Center	31
Safeway Inc.	22
Kmart Corp.	21
Border Entertainment LLC	21

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

Carl Perkins Secondary Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	3,090	3,090
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	67.2	80.2
Median Total Earnings	\$2,543	\$4,320
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	2,075	2,477
Washington State Employed	43	57
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	66	66
Civilian Federal Government Employed	13	15
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	2,166	2,530
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	70.1	81.9
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	3,391	6,898
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$7,195,011	\$15,066,110
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$2,402,633	\$4,627,548
Percent change in total earnings after training	199.5	225.6
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$2,122	\$2,184
Average earnings per quarter worked before training	\$1,334	\$1,191
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	49	49
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	34	34
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants	2,873	2,873
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	54	62
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	870	870
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	446	446
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
1/ Based upon military status FY 2002		
2/ Unduplicated count of workers		
3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
4/ Postsecondary education at University of Alaska and as reported by the National Student Clearinghouse. Excludes vocational education program participants' data.		

**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
Carl Perkins Secondary**



Adult Basic Education

The purpose of Adult Basic Education is to provide adult learners instruction in the basic skills of reading, writing, mathematics, English as a Second Language (ESL), and GED (General Educational Development) preparations and testing.

The ABE program funds 13 regional ABE programs and four Volunteer Literacy programs. In addition a small grant is given to state corrections education. Collectively, these programs provide the following ABE activities:

- Instruction in the basic skills of reading, writing, and mathematics
- Instruction to take the General Educational Development (GED) tests
- Basic skills study through preparation for citizenship testing
- English Literacy (formerly English as a Second Language)
- Workplace Literacy
- Family Literacy (in conjunction with State Even Start Family Literacy programs)

All ABE programs are required to provide instruction in basic academic skills and GED preparation. English Literacy may be provided according to the needs of the local community. Other program activities are encouraged if funding permits. ABE programs also:

- Assist adult learners with supportive services such as transportation and child care resources.
- Provide many types of Life Skills workshops, including resume writing and budgeting.
- Assist adult learners in transitioning from adult basic education into jobs, higher education, or vocational training.
- Provide tutoring for adult learners with learning disabilities.
- Provide pre- and post-assessments to determine the grade level equivalency of adult learners.
- Work with employers to develop workplace literacy training activities.
- Incorporate workplace literacy into the program's curriculum.
- Assisting each adult learner in reaching a higher level of self-sufficiency as an individual, family member, and community member is the desired outcome of all ABE program activities.

Performance and Participant Data

The performance measures for Adult Basic Education programs include adult learners who show measurable gains in completing an educational level, passing the GED (General Educational Development) tests, getting a job or advancing in a job, or transitioning into higher education or vocational training.

- The number of FY 2001 ABE participants who were unemployed upon entry into the ABE program having claimed a main or secondary goal of obtaining employment and who exited during the program year was 1,489. Of the 1,489 ABE participants in FY 2001 who were unemployed upon entry, SSNs of 1,285 participants were made available for data matching to U.I. wage records.
- Fifty-two percent or 673 of the ABE participants with SSNs who claimed a main or secondary goal of obtaining employment upon entry into the ABE program and who exited during the program year were employed at the end of the 2nd quarter of CY 2001.
- During months seven through 12 (the third and fourth quarter) following exit from the program, 59.4 percent of program participants were reported employed in Alaska wage and salary employment. An additional 17 participants, or 1.3%, were identified from other state or federal employment records.

This is an unduplicated count of employment records; students identified in Alaska wage and salary records are not counted again if they are identified in out-of-state employment records.

- Median total earnings for those employed at some time during the third and fourth quarter following exit were \$4,997.
- Total earnings of program participants increased by 63.8 percent when comparing the 12 months prior to training to the 12 months following training, while average earnings per quarter worked increased by 20.2 percent. Total Alaska wage and salary earnings in the year following training were approximately \$10.6 million.
- Top industries where program participants were employed in the third quarter following training were services, retail trade, local government, construction and transportation. Top occupations include janitors and cleaners, cashiers, combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food, waiters and waitresses, retail salespersons, office clerks.

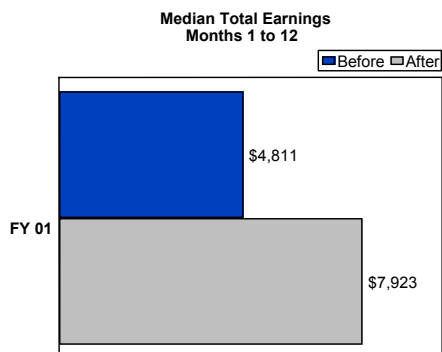
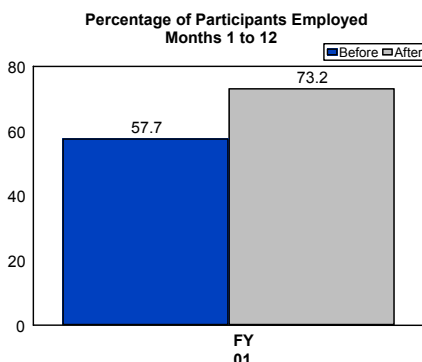
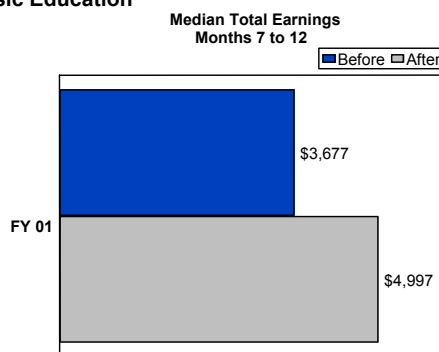
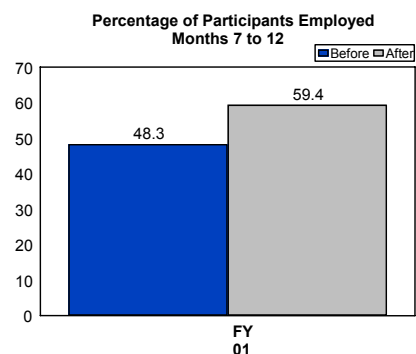
Top employers of participants in the third quarter after exit:

Employer	Number Employed
Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corp.	14
Wal-Mart Associates Inc.	12
North Slope Borough	10
State of Alaska Department of Administration	10
Safeway Inc.	9
Kmart Corporation	9

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

Adult Basic Education Training Program Performance Indicators For Participants Exiting in FY 01		
	Months 7 to 12 After Training	Months 1 to 12 After Training
Total Training Participants	1,267	1,267
Percent with Alaska Wage and Salary Employment	59.4	73.2
Median Total Earnings	\$4,997	\$7,923
Percent of Workers Employed in Related Occupations	N/A	N/A
Number of:		
Alaska Wage and Salary Employed	752	927
Washington State Employed	15	18
Department of Defense Employed ^{1/}	7	7
Civilian Federal Government Employed	8	9
U.S. Postal Service	0	0
Total number employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	769	942
Percent Employed in Alaska, Washington or Federal Government ^{2/}	60.7	74.3
Total number of Alaska wage and salary quarters worked	1,300	2,748
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings after training	\$5,092,206	\$10,599,758
Total Alaska wage and salary earnings before training ^{3/}	\$3,354,822	\$6,472,143
Percent change in total earnings after training	51.8	63.8
Average earnings per quarter worked after training	\$3,917	\$3,857
Average earnings per quarter worked before training	\$3,286	\$3,210
Alaska 2002 Occupation License Holders	45	45
Alaska 2002 Business License Holders	62	62
Alaska 2002 PFD Applicants ³	1,044	1,044
Unemployment Insurance Claimants	155	210
Continuing Education In Alaska ^{4/}	121	121
Continuing Education Outside Alaska ^{4/}	5	5
Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section		
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3/ Alaska wage and salary earnings before training		
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**Percent Employed and Median Earnings for
Adult Basic Education**



FY 2001 Program Performance Measures												
Alaska Employment and Earnings for Months 7 to 12 Before and After Training												
FY 01 Programs	Number Exiting	Number Employed			Total Earnings		Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings Per Quarter		Total Median Earnings Months 7 to 12	
		Before	After	Pct Emp After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Aleutians Regional	4	0	1	25.0	ND	ND	0	2	ND	ND	ND	ND
Anchorage Literacy	52	11	15	28.8	\$68,703	\$81,925	19	27	\$3,616	\$3,034	\$5,000	\$3,123
Bethel Regional	99	59	71	71.7	\$185,154	\$300,923	96	121	\$1,929	\$2,487	\$1,745	\$3,024
Fairbanks Literacy	59	22	33	55.9	\$169,221	\$257,024	40	58	\$4,231	\$4,431	\$7,888	\$5,418
Fairbanks Regional	97	46	56	57.7	\$267,692	\$389,282	76	96	\$3,522	\$4,055	\$4,325	\$4,902
Juneau Regional Literacy	90	49	56	62.2	\$276,795	\$356,519	83	98	\$3,335	\$3,638	\$4,050	\$5,134
Kenai Regional	52	36	41	78.8	\$244,371	\$515,406	61	73	\$4,006	\$7,060	\$6,022	\$9,832
Kodiak Regional	40	20	19	47.5	\$127,499	\$128,495	37	33	\$3,446	\$3,894	\$5,593	\$6,218
Kotzebue Regional	17	11	13	76.5	\$73,887	\$129,273	18	23	\$4,105	\$5,621	\$5,393	\$9,357
Nine Star Regional	522	249	309	59.2	\$1,276,875	\$1,832,975	408	530	\$3,130	\$3,458	\$3,240	\$4,990
Nome Regional	64	33	39	60.9	\$156,527	\$214,702	53	66	\$2,953	\$3,253	\$2,039	\$2,425
North Slope Regional	56	33	33	58.9	\$314,761	\$434,286	58	57	\$5,427	\$7,619	\$7,928	\$9,935
Sitka Juneau Regional	10	5	6	60.0	\$23,043	\$30,800	9	10	\$2,560	\$3,080	\$4,656	\$3,698
Valdez Regional	14	9	10	71.4	\$33,760	\$74,311	14	16	\$2,411	\$4,644	\$3,383	\$4,839
Wasilla Literacy	43	4	16	37.2	\$3,720	\$117,683	5	31	\$744	\$3,796	\$837	\$6,660
Wasilla Regional	66	30	43	65.2	\$145,436	\$239,526	52	72	\$2,797	\$3,327	\$3,971	\$4,434

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FY 2001 Program Performance Measures												
Alaska Employment and Earnings for Months 1 to 12 Before and After Training												
FY 01 Programs	Number Exiting	Number Employed			Total Earnings		Quarters Worked		Avg. Earnings Per Quarter		Total Median Earnings Months 1 to 12	
		Before	After	Pct Emp After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Aleutians Regional	4	0	2	50.0	ND	ND	0	3	ND	ND	ND	ND
Anchorage Literacy	52	13	22	42.3	\$129,465	\$182,278	37	58	\$3,499	\$3,143	\$6,031	\$3,457
Bethel Regional	99	67	78	78.8	\$317,870	\$578,818	179	224	\$1,776	\$2,584	\$2,572	\$4,459
Fairbanks Literacy	59	28	38	64.4	\$350,151	\$569,018	85	125	\$4,119	\$4,552	\$11,699	\$11,153
Fairbanks Regional	97	57	72	74.2	\$466,945	\$804,487	151	209	\$3,092	\$3,849	\$5,471	\$8,247
Juneau Regional Literacy	90	56	71	78.9	\$525,919	\$787,517	158	217	\$3,329	\$3,629	\$5,158	\$9,367
Kenai Regional	52	43	45	86.5	\$545,289	\$1,027,563	128	152	\$4,260	\$6,760	\$6,117	\$20,435
Kodiak Regional	40	22	22	55.0	\$257,679	\$284,746	71	71	\$3,629	\$4,011	\$9,406	\$10,768
Kotzebue Regional	17	12	17	100.0	\$113,656	\$304,328	32	52	\$3,552	\$5,852	\$4,028	\$14,171
Nine Star Regional	522	304	393	75.3	\$2,378,958	\$3,831,432	809	1,138	\$2,941	\$3,367	\$4,408	\$7,279
Nome Regional	64	38	50	78.1	\$322,833	\$421,048	106	142	\$3,046	\$2,965	\$3,074	\$3,643
North Slope Regional	56	38	40	71.4	\$662,809	\$923,723	117	123	\$5,665	\$7,510	\$8,394	\$23,722
Sitka Juneau Regional	10	5	7	70.0	\$56,325	\$78,865	19	21	\$2,964	\$3,755	\$13,110	\$6,983
Valdez Regional	14	10	11	78.6	\$67,001	\$122,975	28	29	\$2,393	\$4,241	\$4,635	\$7,052
Wasilla Literacy	43	8	17	39.5	\$10,736	\$206,058	13	58	\$826	\$3,553	\$793	\$10,432
Wasilla Regional	66	35	53	80.3	\$288,745	\$510,494	96	154	\$3,008	\$3,315	\$5,303	\$7,713

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WIA Eligible Training Providers

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An additional source of training program performance information is the Alaska Eligible Training Provider List. The Eligible Training Provider List is a complete list of school programs, apprenticeships and other occupational training providers that are eligible to receive training funds under the Workforce Investment Act based upon their former students' post-training employment and earnings rate. The list provides prospective students with reliable and objective information useful for making training and career decisions, and reports on the success of former students in finding and maintaining employment. Programs that are eligible for WIA funds have shown that their students as a group have attained an employment rate of 65 percent and a median peak earnings level of \$3,500 over a three-quarter period following training.

Each year, the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development updates the list by collecting training participant data by program from training providers in Alaska. Performance calculations are based upon the employment and earning outcomes of exiters from those programs during the three most recent years. Completion rates by program are collected, but these data currently are not included in the required performance measures.

**Number of Programs Offered and Eligible Training Programs by Provider
Summary Data for FY 2000 and FY 2001**

Provider Name	City	Number of Programs	Number of Eligible Programs	Number of Exitors	Number of Completers	Number of Noncompleters
A Head of Time Design Academy	Anchorage	4	4	7	5	2
ABC of Alaska	Anchorage	7	7	61	6	55
Academy of Hair Design*	Anchorage	2	2	24	15	9
Aero Tech Flight Services	Anchorage	1	1	85	67	18
AGC Safety Inc.	Anchorage	32	32	5	5	0
Alaska Computer Essentials*	Anchorage	27	24	196	190	6
Alaska Inventor and Entrepreneurs Association	Anchorage	5	5	NA	NA	NA
Alaska Ironworkers*	Anchorage	1	1	46	33	13
Alaska Joint Electrical Apprenticeship & Training	Anchorage	4	4	33	33	0
Alaska Laborer's Training Trust	Anchorage	1	1	52	44	8
Alaska Learning Institute	Anchorage	1	1	NA	NA	NA
Alaska Medical Training Services	Wasilla	3	1	22	21	1
Alaska's Nautical Training School	Palmer	1	1	NA	NA	NA
Alaska Operating Engineers Apprentice Training Trust	Anchorage	1	1	296	295	1
Alaska School of Taxidermy	Palmer	1	1	4	4	0
Alaska Technical Center	Kotzebue	18	17	326	297	29
Alaska Technical Training	Anchorage	34	34	NA	NA	NA
Alaska Trowel Trades	Anchorage	1	1	14	0	14
Alaska Vocational Technical Center	Seward	105	99	2,199	2,062	137
Alaska Works	Anchorage	2	2	NA	NA	NA
Ariel's Hair Design School	Anchorage	1	1	25	13	12
Asbestos Removal Specialists of Alaska	Fairbanks	1	1	102	102	0
Career Academy	Anchorage	8	8	716	524	192
Center for Employment Education	Anchorage	15	15	880	868	11
Center for Employment Education	Fairbanks	15	15	128	120	7
Charter College	Anchorage	22	22	71	6	65
Delta Mine Training Center*	Delta Junction	10	9	119	119	0
Dental Careers Foundation	Anchorage	1	1	NA	NA	NA
Double Header Beauty-Barber Training Center	Anchorage	3	3	8	2	6
Environmental Management Inc.*	Anchorage	23	22	1,321	1,321	0
Fairbanks Alaska Carpenter Training Center	Fairbanks	1	1	NA	NA	NA
Fairbanks Area Plumber and Pipefitters	Fairbanks	1	1	6	6	0
Fairbanks Painting and Allied Trades	Fairbanks	2	2	55	54	1
FUGU Ltd. MultiSea	Anchorage	1	1	NA	NA	NA
GeoNorth	Anchorage	5	5	NA	NA	NA
Heat & Frost Insulators & Asbestos Workers Local 97	Anchorage	1	1	15	9	6
Heritage Place	Soldotna	1	1	NA	NA	NA
Ilisagvik College	Barrow	16	16	251	43	208
Indian Valley International	Indian	1	1	NA	NA	NA
IUBAC Lc 1 Bricklayers & Craftsman*	Anchorage	1	1	2	2	0
MILA Administrative Services, Inc.	Anchorage	1	1	110	110	0
National Outdoor Leadership School	Palmer	1	0	25	25	0
Network Business Systems	Anchorage	172	172	NA	NA	NA
New Frontier Vocational-Technical Center	Soldotna	4	3	57	52	5
NorthStar Emergency Medical Academy	Anchorage	1	1	NA	NA	NA
Pacific Rim Institution of Safety & Management	Kenai	4	4	80	75	5
Project Education Residential School	Galena	3	3	NA	NA	NA
Regional Alcohol & Drug Abuse Counselor Training*	Anchorage	1	1	26	26	0
SEGO Consultants*	Soldotna	1	1	25	14	11
SERRC – Alaska Vocational Institute	Juneau	4	4	81	63	18
Shear Allusions 2000 Training Salon*	Soldotna	1	1	12	12	0
Sheldon Jackson College	Sitka	15	15	NA	NA	NA
Take Flight Alaska	Anchorage	9	9	13	1	12
Tamarack Air	Fairbanks	1	1	NA	NA	NA
TechEd	Anchorage	34	34	NA	NA	NA
Testing Institute of Alaska	Anchorage	3	3	51	47	4
Trend Setters School of Beauty	Anchorage	1	1	88	61	27
University of Alaska Anchorage	Anchorage	187	178	8,863	3,197	5,666
University of Alaska Anchorage - Kenai Peninsula College	Homer/Kachemak Bay	5	4	35	7	28

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University of Alaska Anchorage - Kodiak College	Kodiak	8	7	126	39	87
University of Alaska Anchorage	Military Bases	1	0	158	65	93
University of Alaska Anchorage – Mat-Su College	Palmer	19	18	609	200	409
University of Alaska Anchorage - Kenai Peninsula College	Kenai/Soldotna	14	14	422	142	280
University of Alaska Anchorage - PWSCC	PWS/Valdez	13	13	289	72	217
University of Alaska Fairbanks – Kuskokwim Campus	Bethel	18	18	164	91	73
University of Alaska Fairbanks- Bristol Bay Campus	Dillingham	18	18	107	36	71
University of Alaska Fairbanks	Fairbanks	178	159	5,905	2,831	3,074
University of Alaska Fairbanks – Chukchi Campus	Kotzebue	8	8	25	18	7
University of Alaska Fairbanks- Northwest Campus	Nome	8	8	42	13	29
University of Alaska Fairbanks – Rural College	Rural College	70	64	391	263	128
University of Alaska Fairbanks – Tanana Valley	Tanana	98	90	1,254	612	642
University of Alaska Fairbanks- Interior-Aleutians Campus	Unalaska	18	18	103	41	62
University of Alaska Southeast	Juneau	49	47	1,062	375	687
University of Alaska Southeast	Ketchikan	11	11	150	38	112
University of Alaska Southeast	Sitka	14	14	169	49	120
Wilderness Medicine Institute	Talkeetna	1	1	118	117	1
Via Vita Health Project	Fairbanks	1	1	NA	NA	NA
Warbelow's Air Venture	Fairbanks	3	3	NA	NA	NA
Wyatt Enterprises	Fairbanks	9	9	NA	NA	NA
YTS Flight Training	Bethel	1	1	NA	NA	NA

NA=Not available

Source: Alaska Dept. of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section. Available online at: <http://146.63.75.50/research/pub/etplist.pdf>

*Note: FY 2001 data unavailable; FY 2000 data shown for one or more programs offered by this provider.